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BRITAIN RAISES BLACKLIST

[By Associated Press London Wire.]
Vienna, April 26, via London, 2:16.—Official announcement was made here today that the Austrian government has decided to convene parliament for May 20 to deal with questions of food supplies and with "economic, social and financial problems."

The Austrian parliament has not been in session since before the war. There have been various reports recently that a session would be called and party leaders have repeatedly requested the government to bring this about. According to "unofficial" dispatches from Vienna, the government delayed action on account of the prospect of a stormy session.

England Drops Blacklist.
London, April 26, 5:25 p. m.—The British blacklist of shipping has been withdrawn, as far as it concerns the United States.

WILSON RECEIVES JOFFRE AND PARTY

[By Associated Press London Wire.]
Washington, April 26.—The French commission began its first day in Washington with a round of official calls. The first was at the state, war and navy departments.

After spending a few minutes with Secretary Lansing, Mr. Viviani, Marshal Joffre and Admiral Cheuchepat went over to the White House to be formally received by President Wilson.

Checking in Enthusiastically.
As the French party left the building the cheering was acknowledged by all observers to be the most enthusiastic and loudest ever heard there.

The visitors took motor cars from the state department to the White House. Hundreds of automobiles decorated with the French tricolor lined the streets and people lining the sidewalks added to the large party of the president's army and navy aides in full dress uniforms met the Frenchmen. The distinguished guests were ushered into the blue room, where President Wilson was waiting to receive them.

All Are Present.
The White House reception for the members of the French commission differed from that accorded Foreign Minister Balfour and his associates in that it included all the members of the French mission.

Since neither Minister Viviani nor Marshal Joffre speak English, Mr. Hall, who acted as interpreter. The president shook hands warmly with Marshal Joffre and the other members of the mission and they chatted about ten minutes.

Immediately after seeing the president, Mr. Viviani went to the capitol, accompanied by Assistant Secretary Phillips.

SCOUTS PLANT POTATOES

[By Associated Press London Wire.]
Davenport, Iowa, April 26.—Heavy Davenport boys scout unit endeavor to raise enough potatoes to feed a soldier during the war according to a special announcement today. They have secured about 100 bushels of potatoes.

War Situation

Last night's fighting in the great battle of the Artois region seems to have been chiefly in connection with a renewed German effort to wrest from the British the village of Gavrelle. Thru the capture of this place Monday, General Haig pushed a sharp wedge into the German lines along the Artois front. The attacking forces were caught by the British artillery barrage and broken up.

On the Alene front, the French also had to contend with violent German attacks. The fighting was heavily in the breaking of these assaults by the French artillery fire.

BUTTER GOES DOWN

[By Associated Press London Wire.]
Chicago, April 26.—Butter at wholesale today sold at 28 cents a pound, marking a decline of 6 1/2 cents since last Monday.

FLOUR PRICE JUMPS

[By Associated Press London Wire.]
Chicago, April 26.—Flour has gone up 20 cents since Tuesday. Sixty brands of hard spring Minneapolis patents were quoted at \$12.30 which is more than double the price paid a year ago.

CLAMOR FOR "PIE" HALTS ROAD BONDS

[By Associated Press London Wire.]
Springfield, Ill., April 26.—Clamors of senators for "pie" in the shape of sections of the proposed hard roads prevented advancement by the senate today of the bill for a \$60,000,000 bond issue for good roads. A committee amendment recommending an additional \$50 million of road improvement from Champagne to Bloomington was the snag that delayed the bill, consideration of which was finally postponed until next Tuesday.

The bill has passed the house and Dunlap is anxious to have it put on final passage. There has been a clamor for "pie" in the shape of sections of the proposed hard roads prevented advancement by the senate today of the bill for a \$60,000,000 bond issue for good roads. A committee amendment recommending an additional \$50 million of road improvement from Champagne to Bloomington was the snag that delayed the bill, consideration of which was finally postponed until next Tuesday.

The bill, introduced by Senator Curtis, proposed to require 35 per cent of the voters to sign petitions for an election on the question. It was supported by the National Association of Manufacturers, where a petition for an abandonment election had been thrown out recently because of faulty signatures.

Argue Loan Shark Bill.
An attempt by Rep. William F. Holladay to amend the bill to limit the rate of interest to 2 per cent a month instead of 1 1/2 per cent, as now proposed, failed in the house after nearly two hours of debate.

The Holladay amendment was tabled by a vote of 18 to 28 after he had been defeated. The bill, which was introduced by Rep. Holladay, would limit the rate of interest to 2 per cent, and their companies are paying dividends with few exceptions.

Reduce License.
Representative Hicks secured adoption of an amendment to the bill which would place the license fee at 10 per cent, and their companies are paying dividends with few exceptions.

"This bill is the product of the American people," said Mr. Hicks. "It is the reason why companies pay dividends there."

GERMAN BROUGHT BACK FROM ENGLAND FOR TRIAL

[By Associated Press London Wire.]
New York, April 26.—Franz Rintelen, a captain in the German navy, brought back from England yesterday, where he had been a prisoner of war, today pleaded not guilty in the federal district court to an indictment charging conspiracy to invade the United States. The prisoner made application for bail and was remanded for trial tomorrow.

GERMAN PARLEY ON SLAV FRONT

Kaiser's Soldiers Beg Russians to Cease Fighting, Promising to Do Same.

BATTLE RAGES IN FRANCE

[By Associated Press London Wire.]
Petrograd, April 26, via London, 2:30 p. m.—A telegram received here from Riga indicates that the Germans are continuing unrelentingly their attempts to parley with the Russian soldiers. At one place the Germans displayed a placard on which was written:

"Russians! Do not attack. We also will not attack."

Paris, April 26, noon.—Terrific fighting continued during the night on the front of the French offensive. The Germans renewed their counterattacks on the high ground near the Chemin-des-Dames, but gained no success. The French reports today of an attack on the great force of Gerny was repulsed with heavy losses for the Germans.

British Repulse Attacks.
London, April 26, 12:35 p. m.—Renewed German attacks on British positions near Gavrelle were completely repulsed last night. The British counterattacks in the fighting east of Arras in the last 24 hours, the German counterattacks in the effort to retake the positions captured by the British on Monday's push having worn themselves out. After each attack the British managed to creep forward still further.

Heavily overcast skies are giving German airmen a brief respite from British aerial attacks, enabling them to make efforts to reorganize their badly damaged squadrons. British aircraft were seen today over the battlefield. The British airmen were seen today over the battlefield. The British airmen were seen today over the battlefield.

Stories of the German counterattacks—there have been eight separate attempts to capture Gavrelle since Monday evening—tell of almost incredible tactics employed by the Germans in sending forward troops in open formation, giving the British an opportunity to open target shooting it has had in the last two years. Several thousand German soldiers were advancing in one of these attacks late Tuesday when the British curtain of fire shut down in front of them.

The British policy must remain the same. The British policy must remain the same. The British policy must remain the same. The British policy must remain the same. The British policy must remain the same.

British Regiment has a particular grievance against the Germans. The night before the attack a stray German shell landed direct on the regimental run cart, destroying 48 gallons. Some of the men who had been sleeping and fighting in the open, were killed or wounded.

London, April 26, 1:41 p. m.—Telegraphing today from British headquarters in France, Reuters correspondent says:

"The Germans are still hurrying up fresh reserves to their front. They are fighting a great delaying battle, but now stand upon any well prepared system of defense and can only hope to check our advance by using up great masses of troops whose breasts have taken the places of parapets."

"Prisoners declare that the German army is now being drained at a rate which brings collapse within a measurable distance."

MAY WHEAT AT \$2.60

[By Associated Press London Wire.]
Chicago, April 26.—Wheat continued its sensational advance today. On the Chicago market May sold up 1 1/4 to \$2.65, July to \$2.51, and September, \$2.40 to \$2.33.

PARTLY CLOUDY TONIGHT; RAIN EXPECTED FRIDAY

CONTINUED COOL WITH MODERATE WETTERLY WINDS.

The weather forecast for Chicago and vicinity: Partly cloudy tonight; Friday unsettled, probably rain in afternoon or night; continued moderate westerly winds becoming north-easterly.

U-BOAT SHELL FIRE SINKS U. S. SHIP

[By Associated Press London Wire.]
Washington, D. C., April 26.—The submarine fired 10 shots, seven of which struck the steamer before the water line, some of them while the captain and crew of nine were taking to the boats. The survivors were rescued by a British patrol boat.

All Were Saved.
New York, April 26.—All on board the American schooner Percy Birdall, sunk by a German submarine, were saved, according to a cablegram received here from Bordeaux under date of April 24 by the Foreign & Domestic Transportation company, owners of the vessel.

BOMB PLACED IN JOLIET ARMY OFFICER'S OFFICE

[By Associated Press London Wire.]
Joliet, Ill., April 26.—Strict search is being made here today for the persons who placed a time bomb in the office of the captain of an Illinois National Guard company last night. The bomb had been secreted in the sleeping quarters of Capt. Hamlet Ridgeway of Company E, first Illinois infantry. The contrivance contained enough dynamite, according to those who examined it, to blow up the barracks. It was timed and electrically connected with a alarm clock, apparently set to explode at 5:20 p. m.

From the censored reports available, the machine was discovered by one of the officers taking a relief from the captain's office. He was awakened at 5:10 by the ticking of a clock. In the center of the floor stood a package which the officers said had not been there at 4 o'clock.

An immediate roundup of all visitors to the barracks that afternoon was ordered and two men are said to be under suspicion.

OSTENDORF RESIGNS

William Ostendorf, deputy in the office of City Clerk Frank Grommes for the past two years, today tendered his resignation. He has accepted a position in the office of the Stephen A. Adkinson Manufacturing company and will begin his new duties about May 1, after the next meeting of the city council.

BERNHARDT MUCH BETTER

[By Associated Press London Wire.]
New York, April 26.—Physicians attending Sarah Bernhardt, apparently recovering from an operation performed last week because of an infected kidney, said today her improvement was so marked that they would reduce the number of consultations each day from three to two. A bulletin issued this morning said the actress "has been making a steady, slow progress."

ROOT WILL HEAD U. S. COMMISSION TO RUSSIA

[The Associated Press London Wire.]
Washington, April 26.—Elhu Root, former secretary of state, after conference early today with President Wilson and Secretary Lansing, formally accepted the chairmanship of the American commission to Russia.

Mr. Root spent an hour with the president at the White House, discussing the Russian situation. The president outlined fully what he desired to accomplish.

The commission will be composed of three or four principal members and a staff of secretaries and assistants. It is expected to leave for Russia within a few days.

CONSCRIPTION BILL TO PASS THIS WEEK

[By Associated Press London Wire.]
Washington, D. C., April 26.—The army bill in both houses of congress today was under a constant fire of attack from those who oppose selective conscription and ardently defended by those who support the administration plan.

First prospect of a vote appeared in the house where it was agreed that general debate should close with adjournment today and leave over to Saturday night or Saturday.

An agreement to vote on and finally dispose of the bill not later than Saturday night was reached in the senate.

Hispanic from the galleries greeted Representative Mason, republican of Illinois, when he assailed President Wilson for failing to accept immediate conscription for service in France.

Members joined in the demonstration.

Major-General Wood, who was sent to South Carolina to "vegetate" and that Doctor Grayson was promoted to be a rear admiral by judicious selection.

"This is the perfected fruit of conscription," asked the senator, "to send a man to the front and to the first of the administration, when the term political general is accurately applied."

GUARDS SHOOT PROWLER

[By Associated Press London Wire.]
New York, April 26.—Sentries guarding the waterfront under the Brooklyn terminal of the Manhattan bridge, which crosses the East river, today shot down a man for prowling in the rear of a factory turning out machinery. According to Arthur J. Riley, a national guardman, the man drew a knife and attempted to stab him after refusing to obey a command to move on.

CHICAGO LIQUOR DEALERS READY TO CLOSE SALOONS

[By Associated Press London Wire.]
Chicago, April 26.—The West End Saloonkeepers' association, which is composed of approximately 50 members operating saloons on the west side here, today stands ready to enforce nationwide prohibition, should Wilson as a proposal be made by President Wilson at a meeting of the association last night, the members by a rising vote unanimously decided to show their position in regard to a dry nation if the president deemed it necessary.

BIG MEETING HERE PUT OFF

Antlered Herd to Forego State Convention to Work for Nation.

NEXT MEETING TO COME HERE

In the forefront of patriotic endeavor, the Illinois Elks have decided to postpone indefinitely their annual reunion and jubilee which was to have been held in Aurora, June 5 and 6 and instead to raise a war relief fund of \$30,000.

Definite action to this end was taken last night at a meeting of the executive committee of the Illinois state Elks association and a special committee appointed by Aurora lodge of Elks to consider the subject in all its details.

After long discussion of plans on the part of members of the state and local organizations in which the subject was thoroughly thrashed out, it was decided by the executive committee to postpone the convention, indefinitely and to raise among the members of the order in the state a fund of \$30,000 for general war relief work.

Executive Committee Here.
Members of the state executive committee, which by virtue of the laws of the association has full control of convention matters, who met in Aurora last night were, chairman, W. L. Kelly, Shelbyville; secretary, Dr. H. W. Rich, Jerseyville; and J. K. Wynn of Sterling, C. T. Vaughn of Peoria, the other member of the committee was represented by proxy.

In addition there were present the state president, Roy L. Platt of Danville, the state secretary, J. A. Finlen of Streator and Walter J. Grant of Danville, a prominent worker and who was to be the only candidate for the presidency at the Aurora convention.

By the action of the executive committee last night the present state officers will continue their work and the reunion in Aurora will be held at some date selected by the committee.

For some time the general sentiment among the Elks of the state has been that the reunion should be postponed or at least all entertainment features eliminated.

Aurora lodge of Elks, hosts of the convention, had this feeling and recently appointed a special committee to confer with the state officers regarding it. The committee was composed of John Schmitt, chairman, John M. Jeffers, secretary, George W. Alschuler, C. C. Wroughton, T. B. Sanders and Max Jeske.

About the time the convention was to be held, the state officers were informed that the convention was to be held in Aurora.

President Platt had received a letter from Mr. Grant of Danville upon the same subject. President Platt at once took up the matter with the executive committee and the other state officers and the meeting in Aurora last night was arranged.

At 6:30 yesterday evening the state, local committee and other Elks were entertained at dinner at the club. Following the meal the convention matters were at once considered, with chairman Kelly of the state executive committee presiding. The discussion continued several hours.

Expressions of opinion were heard from the Aurora men who were called first. John Schmitt, chairman of the local committee, who has been a most enthusiastic worker for the convention and who has devoted much time to details, believed that the convention should be held, but should be turned into a great patriotic demonstration in which the whole city as well as visiting Elks should take part. His idea was that the convention should be held only two days, with a business session one day and a parade and speech making by men of national reputation on the next.

WOMAN SEEKS TO LEARN WHO SHE REALLY IS

Thesen names, as many legal fathers and two mothers, in the record of Ella Stammer of Arapahoe, Colo., who once lived in Aurora and is seeking to discover just who she is.

In a letter to "The Beacon-News," Miss Stammer says that her name was originally Maria Leand and that she was adopted by a Rev. S. A. Gilley, who at one time preached in Aurora, who changed her name to Ella Gilley. It was thus that she was known in Aurora. Later she was adopted by R. W. Stammer and taken west.

She says that she thinks the Gilleys took her from her home in some town west of Chicago. She says there was a brother, sister and father in the family at the time of her first adoption, none of whom she remembers. She is now living in Arapahoe and is making an effort to locate her kin, or find out of whom she is at least. She is 46 years of age.

ESTRANGED WIFE BEATEN TO DEATH

Unknown Man Shoots and Clubs Mrs. Alice Dunn, on Eve of Meeting Husband.

[By Associated Press London Wire.]
St. Paul, Minn., April 26.—Mrs. Alice M. Dunn, former wife of Frank J. Dunn, was murdered early this morning by a man who broke into her parents' home, where she had been living, entered the room in which she and a younger sister were sleeping, shot her twice and finally clubbed her to death with his pistol. The sister, Katherine, witnessed the murder, but her screams awoke their parents and a brother too late and the man escaped.

Robbery Not Motive.
Jewelry which lay on Mrs. Dunn's dresser and rings on her fingers were not touched. Her sister is said to have told the police that when the man entered her room he commanded her to "keep cool; I don't want you. I just want to do a little shooting."

Frank J. Dunn, from whom Mrs. Dunn more than a year ago, was granted separate maintenance and alimony of \$70 a month, was taken to police headquarters, but released after questioning. He said he knew nothing of the affair. He had spent the evening at a club and retired to his apartment at 11:30. The latter part of his story was confirmed by the superintendent of the apartment in which he was found asleep by the police. Dunn told the police that he had been discussing a possible reconciliation.

Dunn until recently held the contract for transporting mail from the Union depot here to the local post office stations.

Mrs. Dunn was 28 years of age.

EXPECT TO AGREE ON SHEET METAL WAGES

Aurora tinners and sheet metal contractors will meet today to discuss the matter of increased pay to take effect May 1. The sheet metal workers served a 90-day notice on their employers January 1, but have been unable to date, according to a contractor, but he said that they expected the matter would be agreeably settled at tonight's meeting.

The union scale of the men in the past was 24 cents per hour. The men are asking for 30 cents an hour.

The Grand Lodge to be held in Boston this summer. It is expected that this session will be turned into a big patriotic demonstration with parades and speech making as the leading attractions. As the national affairs of the order are in charge of the grand lodge it was felt that the session could not be postponed.

THINK UNKNOWN MAN MURDERED

Police Round Up Floaters Following Discovery of Body Near Mooseheart.

SKULL CRUSHED FROM BEHIND

Hoboes and floaters of all sorts were rounded up in Aurora and in camps along the Fox river today in an effort to clear up a "mystery" surrounding the death of an unidentified man, whose body was found near the North-Western railroad right of way, half a mile north of Mooseheart. The man's head had been crushed. It is thought he was murdered as a heavy club stained with blood was found near the body. The coroner's inquest, summoned by Coroner Eugene Norton met at Batavia this morning at 11 o'clock and returned an open verdict. The police and men from the sheriff's office are working on the theory that the man was murdered.

The body was found by John Perkins, a farmer running the South farm near the point where the body lay. The man lay on his back with his cap over his face, apparently asleep. The bark of a dog first called Perkins' attention. He investigated and noticed blood around the body. The coroner's inquest, summoned by Coroner Eugene Norton met at Batavia this morning at 11 o'clock and returned an open verdict. The police and men from the sheriff's office are working on the theory that the man was murdered.

Carried Food in Pocket.
The body is that of a man about 5 feet 10 inches tall, weighing about 160 pounds. The man was apparently a laborer the rather well dressed in a black suit, blue sweater and black cap. No identification marks were found on his clothing nor were there any clues to his identity in the pocket. A package of canned goods was found in the body and the fact that the man was lying undisturbed beside the body.

The man was of good appearance, wearing a heavy black mustache and had a heavy head of hair, both slightly streaked with gray. He appeared about 45 years of age.

Apparently the man was struck with the club from behind as he sat down to make his lunch. No money was found on his body. Railroad men say that there was no possibility of the man being struck by a train, both because of the position of the body and the fact that trains are few at that time of day. The upriver passenger, leaving Aurora at 12:35 p. m., was the only train that passed near the body, or did not see anything of the body. The body was found as it had been laid out after death.

A number of laborers were paid off on the Burlington yesterday morning and it is thought the man may have been one of them.

Tom Donovan, one of the "kings" among the river hobo camps, was taken to Batavia along with his camp, but none of them could identify the body. It is being held at the Hall's undertaking rooms at Batavia.

BREAK UP DRUG RING

[By Associated Press London Wire.]
New York, April 26.—By the arrest of two young Russians here, and the confiscation of narcotic drugs valued at \$500,000, agents of the inland revenue department believe they have broken up a drug ring that operated in all parts of the country, and out of the supply of many thousands of drug users.

The prisoners, who described themselves as Max Kirschen and Jack Maza, are charged with smuggling the narcotics into the country and selling them on a wholesale basis at enormous profits. The 3,000 ounces seized yesterday, it was stated, cost an average of \$40 an ounce, but after being diluted by nine or ten times its bulk with milk, sugar or other foreign substances, the police figure that it could be sold to drug users for not less than \$500,000.

MAN STILL MISSING

Paul Schwarz, of Cicero, caretaker of a cottage north of St. Charles, believed to have drowned in the Fox river three miles north of St. Charles, had not been located up to this afternoon. Deputy Sheriff Claude Poole reported.

Schwarz, who has been missing since Monday night is believed to have fallen from a boat and drowned. Officer Poole said, "The man must have drowned or he would have been spotted."

GERMAN WAR AIMS CALLED CONFUSING

Press of Country Criticizing Government for Failure to Declare Its Attitude.

Bernhard Says Nobody Knows What Kaiser Wants—Leading Statesmen 'Do Not Lead.'

(By Associated Press Leased Wire.) Amsterdam, April 25, via London.—The Berlin Vorwärts comments sarcastically on the announcement of the semi-official Nord-Deutsche Allgemeine Zeitung that the German government refused to declare its attitude amid the conflict of opinion regarding Germany's war aims. The Vorwärts says that the government does not wish to reject directly the peace formula of the social democrats, but nevertheless refuses to adopt it because the British and French newspapers are talking nonsense, and adherence to the formula might be interpreted as a sign of weakness. The paper adds:

No one knows what the Kaiser really wants. The lines that the government is prepared to conclude peace without annexation and indemnities and would even be glad to give it but does not dare to say so, owing to the threatening attitude of the Paris Mail and Journal and also of the Deutsche Tageszeitung and the Tagliche Rundschau.

George Bernhard sharply criticizes the declaration of the Nord-Deutsche Zeitung in the Vossische Zeitung. He regrets that henceforth nobody will be able to judge from the statements of the government what its war aims really are.

"That nobody knows what the government really wants," he says, "is the explanation of the confusion of counsel. Our leading statement does not lead."

STRICT GERMAN CENSORSHIP

(By Associated Press Leased Wire.)

Copenhagen, via London, April 25.—The protests of a socialist representative in the reichstag committee yesterday, directed attention to the fact that German newspapers must now submit to a preliminary censorship before being permitted to leave the country. For some time the radical socialist newspapers have been marked behind other publications in the time of their delivery here. The authorities have evidently resorted to this means to block the channel through which disagreeable news and discussions have reached foreign ears. At the same meeting, it was indicated that all is not satisfactory in the manufacture of explosives.

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PERIL IN DEAD FLIES

(By Associated Press Leased Wire.)

Philadelphia, April 25.—The city entomologist, Herman Horning, has issued a warning to the public that fly swarming, when it is not a part of more systematic schemes of extermination, is wasted labor. A swarmed fly, he says, is quite as perilous as an unwashed one. It is not the fly that is dangerous, it is the microbes that it insect carries, and when you killed the fly you do not necessarily kill the microbes. The scientific conclusion, Mr. Horning explains, is that the flies should be killed before they fly and the safe method is to wipe out their breeding places.

EGG PRICES TUMBLING

(By Associated Press Leased Wire.)

Chicago, April 25.—With the placing of 187,000 cases containing 58,300,000 eggs on the market in Chicago and New York in the last two days and the continued receipt of large quantities of eggs from middle western states, wholesale prices have dropped from their former level and are now in the market, with extra quoted yesterday at 22 1/2c to 23 1/2c a dozen. Further reductions are looked for with the increasing receipts.

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Let your sore, swollen, aching feet spread out in a bath of "Tiz."



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OLD EASTLAND FLAGSHIP OF CHICAGO WAR FLEET

(By Associated Press Leased Wire.) Great Lakes, Ill., April 25.—A war fleet shortly will be sailing the great lakes. It was announced at the United States naval training station here today, Capt. W. A. Moffett, commander, has planned the mobilization of a number of fast vessels mounting guns ranging from one pounders to six-inch pieces. The fleet will serve to train recruits passing thru the training station here, in addition to protecting lake cities. The steamer Eastland, which turned over in the Chicago river in 1915 with a loss of 312 lives and which is now rebuilt as a gunboat, will be the flagship. Other vessels in the fleet will be the Iale de Luzon, a former Spanish gunboat which was sunk by Dewey at Manila, and the Don Juan de Austria, another Spanish ship taken in the same action.

NOTRE DAME ENLISTS 350 MEN FOR SERVICE

(By Associated Press Leased Wire.) South Bend, Ind., April 25.—Approximately 350 students at Notre Dame university have enlisted their intention of enlisting for the war. President Davidson of the university has announced that students who enlist will receive credits for a full term's work.

YORKVILLE

Yorkville, Ill., April 25.—Judge C. S. Williams and family accompanied by his mother, Mrs. Belle Williams, and his aunt, Mrs. Christina Johnson, from Newark, went to Oak Park Sunday to spend the day with the Gay Williams family.

A. N. Beebe visited relatives in Plainfield and Joliet, Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. G. F. Hoadley returned Tuesday from Rochester, Minn.

Miss Myra Johnson came home from Streator to spend the week end at home.

Mrs. Christina Johnson came from Newark Saturday to visit at the C. S. Williams home.

Mrs. Lida Lord and Kittie Owens of Plano attended the Red Cross meeting Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Normandin from Rockford spent the week end with his parents, Sheriff and Mrs. Samuel Normandin.

Miss Frances Lane underwent a minor operation at an Aurora hospital Monday, where she is reported rapidly recovering.

Mrs. Delos Devereaux, went to Plattville Tuesday afternoon to attend the Young Matrons' club, and organized a class in Red Cross work.

The school election Saturday afternoon was a very quiet affair. G. W. Ruby was the retiring member of the board and was re-elected to serve another term.

William Henne, who has been ill the past winter, left Tuesday morning for Rochester, Minn., where he will receive treatment at the Mayo Brothers' hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Abe Friedberg came from Chicago Tuesday afternoon preparatory to disposing of their household goods and returning there to make their home the first of May.

The senior class in high school entertained the remainder of the high school at the town hall Friday evening. Games and music followed by refreshments furnished a delightful time for all present.

The memorial service for the late John Fitzgerald, held at the circuit court room at the court house Saturday morning, was well attended. The memorial was under the auspices of the Kendall County Bar association.

Some of the speakers paid a beautiful tribute to the memory of the departed, who passed away last February.

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Milk, to keep properly, should never get warmer than 40 degrees Fahrenheit. If it is consumed, the lower the temperature the better the milk will keep.

Bacteria—such as those which cause milk to sour—develop very slowly and cause little change in milk at such low temperatures. A slight rise in temperature, even for a short time, permits these bacteria to multiply rapidly and bring about rapid deterioration of the milk, which may render it unfit for ordinary use.

Don't leave your milk bottles on a hot porch or doorstep. A short exposure in the sun or a warm place hastens the spoiling even of cold, bottled milk.

Have the milkman put your milk into the refrigerator. If this is impossible, keep it open and clean. A box with ice or a bucket of water in a shady place, for the milk.

At any rate have the bottles left in the coolest and shadiest place about your premises.

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DR. GABLE

THE NOTED CHICAGO SPECIALIST is at the Bishop Hotel, and Will Remain Until 3:30 P. M. Saturday, April 28.



Dr. Gable is making these visits here to explain to people suffering with chronic diseases, his Neuropathic system of treatment, which was discovered and originated by him several years ago. This new system of treatment removes disease from the body, by eliminating the poison, by treating the nerves and the blood, and restoring vitality to the weak parts. He has spent 14 years of his life working out this system of treatment and he is having the most remarkable success in many very severe cases. He believes every person suffering with chronic diseases or weakness of any kind especially those suffering with high blood pressure, or any weakness of the heart and those afflicted with kidney or bladder troubles—especially where they have disturbances of the stomach causing indigestion or fermentation that is throwing extra work on the kidneys and bladder, to call and consult him. This new treatment gives quick relief in these cases. He believes that he can cure any case of acute or chronic rheumatism. It removes the poison from the blood, gets it out of the system. He wants all people afflicted with nervous trouble of any kind, even where there is partial paralysis of any part of the body to come to him for examination. This treatment is especially directed to the nerves. He treats dyspepsia, constipation and liver troubles, skin diseases and all kinds of weakness of the bladder—he wants all sufferers of

CATARH

to come to him and let him explain his new system of treating catarrh to them. He believes he can cure every case with this treatment. Dr. Gable is a graduate physician of one of the leading medical colleges in the United States, has spent five years in foreign study, and practices and is a regularly licensed physician under the State Board of Health of Illinois. He is reliable. He does not claim to cure all cases of chronic disease; that is why he must make a personal examination of your case. He invites you to come and let him make a thorough examination and tell you exactly what your trouble is, how far has gone, and whether or not it is curable. He will make no charge for this. He is making regular monthly visits to Aurora and has had the most remarkable success in many of the worst chronic cases. He wants nothing to get his profession-

longer than is necessary. Never pour milk, which has been exposed to the air, back into a bottle containing other milk. Keep such milk cold and covered in another clean utensil.

Keep Milk Clean.

Milk, when warm, is an ideal cultural medium for bacteria. Keep milk clean. You can keep it clean only by keeping it covered so that the bacteria and molds from the air will not get into it.

Keep your milk bottles covered both with caps or by placing glasses over them. Keep them covered in the refrigerator and in the kitchen or dining room.

Never pour milk into an unsterile bowl or pitcher. Scald all vessels into which milk is poured for keeping or serving. Cool these utensils after scalding, before you put milk into them.

Before you open a bottle of milk, wash and wipe the outside of the cap with water and a clean cloth. The little depression at the top of the bottle which attracts flies, or milk which may attract flies, lift out the cap with a pointed instrument, so that the outside of the cap, which may be contaminated, will not be pushed down into the milk.

Clean and scald the refrigerator where milk is stored, regularly with hot salt solution. See that the drip pipe is kept open and clean. Even in the cleanest refrigerator, never keep milk in an open vessel.

Milk absorbs odors easily. If there are babies or little children in your home, clean, cold, covered milk is absolutely essential.

Clean Empty Bottles.

Finally, clean empty bottles. Rinse thoroughly with cold water every milk bottle, as soon as emptied, and then wash with hot water. This helps your milkman to give you clean milk.

Never take milk bottles into a sick room. If you have an infectious or contagious disease in your home, boil the milk bottles, and do not return them without the express sanction of your local health officer or attending physician.

Don't Throw Out Sour Milk.

Clean skim milk is a valuable food, containing all the nourishing ele-

ments of whole milk except the fat or cream. It is useful in cooking and as a palatable, nourishing beverage. Sour milk and buttermilk can be used with soda in making hot breads, into cold cakes, or as a dressing for cream is a good shortening for cakes and cookies, and is useful for salad dressings and gravies for meat.

The United States department of agriculture will be glad to send you additional information about the care and use of milk.

Demonstrate thrift in your home. Make savings, not spending, your social standard.

OSWEGO

Oswego, Ill., April 24.—Lloyd Wormley has enlisted in the army and is the first from Oswego to enlist.

Frank Pearce has purchased a new automobile.

Miss Margaret Davis is the proud possessor of a new piano.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bower have rented the home of Miss Edith Troll.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Welch of Aurora were calling on Oswego friends Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Schultz and Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Voss motored to LaSalle Sunday.

Mrs. H. H. H. of Chicago was a visitor at the home of her sister, Mrs. Annie Schubert.

James Pearce and daughters have moved to the home recently vacated by Mrs. Caroline Knapp.

Mrs. Robert Schlapp is in the hospital in Chicago where she underwent an operation Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Pearson and Mrs. Ida Alden were in Plano Sunday and visited at the home of Mrs. Ida Faxon.

Mrs. North and children of Amboy were visitors over Sunday with her husband at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Utley.

Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Edwards and family were visitors over Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Wormley of Roselle.

Miss Florence Giese was at home

from school at Naperville to spend the week-end with her parents, the Rev. and Mrs. Giese.

Miss Florence White is recovering from an operation at the St. Joseph's hospital where she was taken last Sunday evening.

Mr. Matthews has returned home after a several month's absence, having been occupied with his duties as a wool inspector.

Mr. and Mrs. William Wineser and Mr. and Mrs. Risk of Aurora were visitors Saturday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cherry.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Butler, and family of Downers Grove and Miss Dottie Rolfe of Champaign were callers Saturday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cherry.

READ BEACON-NEWS WANT AD

Stamped Good by "Old Man Average"

—Just as you are most likely to be stamped good for a long life by an insurance company, if you have good antecedents and respectable habits.

By the same token "Old Man Average" and we have looked behind the scenes and are convinced that Diamonds are bound to have respectable habits—and long life.

We know that 5000 miles per Diamond tire is common—more than not a good deal more. Yet their price is low.

Every Diamond Tire must deliver full value in service. If ever a Diamond Tire falls, a cheerful, willing adjustment will be promptly made.

Get the habit of stopping at our store for free air, gasoline, accessories and tire advice.

Auto Supply & Accessories Co., 165 S. LaSalle St., Aurora, Ill.

BLACK SQUEEGEE TREAD
RED SIDE WALLS

Diamond TIRES

Last Day-Saturday!

At 9 P. M. Saturday, the Great Eureka 10-Day FREE Trial Offer Closes on the Grand Prize

Eureka Electric Vacuum Cleaner

Don't Delay Until the Last Day!

—This great free trial and easy payment offer expires sharply at 9 p. m., Saturday, April 28.

—We urge you to get your request for the Free Trial in tomorrow at the very latest.

—Don't wait until the big rush on Saturday.

—This liberal offer places a Grand Prize Eureka Electric Vacuum Cleaner in your home on a 10 day Free Cleaning Trial. You use it just as though it were your own.

Only a Limited Number On This Generous Plan

—We are going to place only a limited number of Grand Prize Eureka Electric Vacuum Cleaners in Aurora on this generous plan.

—You can readily understand why we cannot afford to make this offer generally or permanent.

—This special offer will not cost you one penny. We send the cleaner right to your home—all delivery charges paid.

—Remember—this offer expires at 9 p. m., Saturday, and only a limited number will be placed on this generous plan.

Our Guarantee

—We guarantee every single part to be perfect in construction and perfect in material. The Eureka is built to last your lifetime—a guarantee certificate goes with every Eureka Cleaner.

Only \$4.25

If You Decide to Buy After the 10 DAYS' FREE TRIAL

Then You Can Pay the Balance in Small Easy Monthly Payments—30 Days Between Each Small Payment—And remember you are getting the rock bottom special factory price and the VERY LATEST 1917 MODEL—You buy from us right here in Aurora, and best of all, on the Easiest Kind of Payments

Phone Chicago 640; Inter-State 111—Both Phones; or Write Us at Once

—Write now, or telephone us, and we will give you the full details of this great offer.

THE HEART WADE HETZ AND GROMETER 24 SOUTH BROADWAY

—You can get a Cleaner on free trial at once. Be sure to write or telephone our store, or inquire on

The Grand Prize

The Eureka Electric Vacuum Cleaner won the Grand Prize—highest of all awards—at the Panama-Pacific International Exposition, San Francisco, in competition with 18 other makes.

OFFICIAL AWARD RIBBON
GRAND PRIZE
MANUFACTURED BY EUREKA VACUUM CLEANER CO. CHICAGO, ILL.

PLANT TO EAT, MAYOR URGES

City's Chief Executive Gives 50 Bushels of Seed Potatoes for Poor.

U. S. FINDS STORED TUBERS

Mayor Harley announced today that he will give 50 bushels of seed potatoes to poor families who will use the tubers for planting in the "plant a lot" campaign.

A bureau has been opened in the office of Mrs. Lillian Holzbach, chairman of the Aurora Charity Council, on the third floor of the city hall where orders for the potatoes donated by the mayor will be issued. The potatoes must be used for seed. Mrs. Holzbach and her assistants will see that the tubers are delivered to people who intend to plant them.

At the same bureau in the city hall names of all persons who own vacant lots and will donate the use of property to poor families will be registered. Persons desiring lots to plant may also make inquiry at the bureau. Mrs. Holzbach will assign the spaces and the city policeman will do the work, when desired. The telephone number at the bureau is Chicago 2006.

Plant If You Would Eat.

"The people of Aurora do not realize the condition of the food market," Mayor Harley said today. "Every vacant piece of property in Aurora should be planted with potatoes, turnips, parsnips or other hardy vegetables because next winter there is bound to be a shortage. In Chicago a bureau has been opened at the city hall and lots are being assigned at the rate of 1,000 a day. The Chicago people have come to realize that there will be great suffering next winter unless every available piece of property is planted. There is no assurance that prices will be any lower next year than at the present time and there is every indication that they will be higher.

"The food and vegetable expert of Armour & Co. only yesterday reported on conditions. His report shows that if the people of the country would stop eating potatoes today and every potato now in storage, in the stores, and in the homes were used for planting the normal potato acreage would be 25 per cent short. He predicts that the acreage planted will only be 50 per cent of the normal. If Aurora people are to have potatoes next winter they must get busy and plant all of the available property. A large number are making garden who never did before, but the interest is not general. Up in Wisconsin the governor has placed an embargo on potatoes and no one will be allowed to be shipped out of the state until the normal acreage is planted.

"The 50 bushels of potatoes which I am donating must be used for seed purposes. They are to be given out to families which have not the means to buy seed."

LONG WALK IN VAIN

Michael Mears, 51 years old, Aurora man who escaped from the State Hospital for the insane at Elgin last Tuesday night, walked all the way to Aurora and last night went to Pigeon hill to search for relatives. He has been in the hospital for nine years. Acquaintances of Mears saw him standing at the corner of High and Pierce streets and called the police. Patrolmen Callahan and Seidelman took Mears in charge. Deputy Sheriff Orr was to take Mears back to Elgin today.

J. F. Harrel of North Fourth street who is ill had been reported improved today.

John Wilson of 10th avenue, veteran engineer for the Burlington, who is in the Aurora hospital, was reported improved today.

POTATO PRICE DROPS FIFTY CENTS A BUSHEL

Persons contemplating planting potatoes who have not already bought seed benefited today by a drop of 50 cents per bushel in price. Yesterday \$4.25 per bushel and today they are asking \$3.75, according to downtown grocers.

New potatoes remain the same, \$1.10 to \$1.25 per peck, while old potatoes other than seed are selling at 85 cents per peck or five cents a peck cheaper than yesterday.

Flour has advanced about ten cents the 50-pound sack on account of the rising wheat market but some of the stores have not raised flour prices yet as they have some on hand bought at the old prices. The old prices on standard grades of flour for the past week or so have been from \$2.40 to \$2.50 per 50-pound sack.

Sugar, butter and egg prices remain the same today as quoted yesterday. Relief to the working man's pocketbook was offered today when prices on more of the fresh vegetables on the market took a drop. Rhubarb, which has been selling at 15 cents per bunch, went up seven cents per bunch, four pounds for 25 cents; lettuce has dropped from 40 cents to 25 cents per bunch. Following are prices of other commodities in fresh fruits and vegetables: Tomatoes, 30 cents per bushel; cucumbers, 15 and 20 cents each; radishes, three bunches for 10 cents; green onions, three bunches for 10 cents; asparagus, 15 cents per bunch; two bunches for 25 cents; celery, 10 cents per bunch; strawberries, 15 cents per pint box; pineapples, 25 cents each; bananas, 25 cents per dozen; apples, from 40 cents to 80 cents per peck.

TOOLS STOLEN

The police scoured the town today for boys who it is believed, yesterday or last evening entered a store building at 35 North Locust street and stole a number of carpenter tools owned by D. A. Thompson. Thompson uses the building as a storehouse. The tools were in a small wall safe. Using a hatchet the boys broke into the safe. The theft was reported to the police last night but no arrests have been made.

Social Chatter

Mrs. M. R. Walton of Los Angeles who has been visiting Mrs. O. L. Yeom and Mrs. J. J. Stubbs returned to her home today.

The sale of the Walk-Over stock includes shoes, oxfords and slippers for all the family, men, women and children, at sale prices. Main floor and the subway, both hold loads of bargains. Reising's, two stores in one, at 7 Broadway.

Joseph Wilson has returned from Neoga, Ill., where he was called by the death of his sister.

The Queen Esther circle of Galena boulevard church met Monday with Miss Grace Brown in Locust street. Fifteen were present. A most interesting talk on "Alaska" was given by Mrs. E. T. Gunn. After a business meeting, Mrs. Brown served refreshments.

Now is the time to plant shrubs, trees and flowering plants. The banner bargain day of Aurora Nurseries big sale falls on Saturday. Complete details are given in this issue on Page 4.

News in Brief

City Court Tomorrow.—A session of the Aurora city court will be held before Judge E. M. Mangan tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock. It is not known what cases will be called for trial but it is understood that several divorce suits will be heard.

Farmer Killed by Horse.—George Swanson, Big Woods farmer who sustained a fracture of the skull Tuesday when he was kicked in the head by a horse, recovered consciousness last night. He will recover.

Released From Pest House.—A. E. LeVoy, property man for the "Birth of a Nation" picture company who has been quarantined for smallpox in a shed in the rear of the city hall for three weeks, was released today and left this afternoon for Chicago. The disease left only one scar and that is on the end of LeVoy's nose. The shed used as a pest house was fumigated today by health inspectors. The city is now free of smallpox.

ARMY GETS WEST HIGH ATHLETES

"Old War Horse" Gus Tebell, "Burt" Wright and George Herrick Enlist.

MORE RECRUITS IN SIGHT

The West High baseball team lost a pitcher and the United States gained a cracking good recruit yesterday, when Gus Tebell, star athlete for the red and blue for the past two years, joined the artillery. With him went Burton Wright, fullback of the 1915 team and George Herrick of Waterman, a wrestler and general athlete, who was ineligible for athletic competition this year. The three youths joined the armed forces of the United States at the South State street recruiting office in Chicago and will leave for Jefferson barracks Monday.

Tebell originally hailed from St. Charles and is the son of Mrs. Hannah Tebell of 411 Plum street. He came to West High in the fall of 1915 and immediately made good on the football team, playing at half back and quarterback for the past two years. He has also been on basketball, baseball and track teams for the past two years, captaining the basketball team the past season. There never was a gamer fighter on a west side team.

Wright was a product of Geneva High school, playing on the football and basketball teams of the high school of that city, before coming to West High, where he played fullback for two seasons. Herrick is the son of a wealthy farmer at Waterman. He enlisted as an automobile driver.

The enlistment yesterday was said to be merely the forerunner of what is to be expected at West High. A number of boys plan to go to Chicago tomorrow to enlist. If successful, the school will practically be depopulated of athletes.

Corporal A. J. Polain got two more recruits today, sending Nicholas Burg of 10 South River street and Andrew Ciosek of 240 Pierce street to the army.

To Enlist Enthusiasts.—In an effort to speed up recruiting in Aurora, Lieut. D. L. Loughborough of the United States War Veterans came to Aurora last night for the first time since his discharge. He conferred with Commander John Chenier, Alderman Archie Syrester and John Holstad, men prominent in the Spanish War Veterans' camp here.

The state organization has adopted a slogan, "Five thousand recruits for the army and navy in 90 days." The Spanish war veterans have been gratifyingly successful in gathering recruits. Men who have "done their bit" themselves, can talk to better effect to young men than hired exhorters.

Literature and speakers as desired, will be sent to Aurora from a central bureau to stir up interest here and make the people realize that the country is actually at war. "Aurora is like most other cities," Lieutenant Loughborough said today. "It cannot make itself believe that the country is actually in a conflict which must be won to preserve the nation and that rule which the people choose to have."

Plans to stimulate recruiting will be taken up by the Aurora Spanish War Veterans' next Monday.

Clifford Bereman, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Bereman, who reside just south of Aurora, has enlisted in the United States navy. Word was received by his relatives today that he successfully passed the examinations. Mr. Bereman was formerly a student in East High school.

GARY TRIAL TO JURY

The case of Tommy Gary, Aurora and Chicago Heights prize fighter, and Michael Todorovich and Jack Press, on trial in Chicago since Tuesday, will go to the jury before night. The three are charged with conspiring to defraud the Chicago and North Western Railway of two \$10,000 bills. Gary, 17 years old, and Charlotte Palmer, 16 years old, the girls claim they were enticed to the Chicago hotel and attacked. Gary was expected to take the stand this afternoon.

City Eye Specialists Tell How To Strengthen Eyesight 50% In a Week's Time In Many Instances

A Pres Prescription You Can Have Filled and Use at Home.

Boston, Mass.—Victims of eye strain and other eye weaknesses, and those who wear glasses, will be glad to know that Doctors and Eye Specialists show that there is real hope and help for them. Many whose eyes were failing say they have had their eyes restored to normal vision. Many who wore glasses say they have thrown them away. One man says, after using a miracle to me. "I had to see to read at all. Now I can read everything without my glasses, and my eyes are better than they were. Now they feel fine all the time. It was a miracle to me. A lady who used it says: 'The atmosphere seemed heavy with or without glasses, but after using this prescription for fifteen days everything seems clear. I can read even fine print without glasses. I have been wearing glasses for several years, both for distance and work, and with an eye could not read a newspaper on an envelope or the typewriting on the machine before me. I can now read the newspaper and the street now which for several years have looked like a misty green. I am so glad I cannot express my joy at what it has done for me.' It is believed that thousands who wear glasses can now discard them in a reasonable time, and multitudes more will be able to strengthen their eyes and be spared the trouble and expense of ever getting glasses. Dr. Bessie is an expert eye specialist.

CITIZEN HOSPITAL COMMITTEE NAMED

Team Campaigns of Men's Division of Aurora Hospital Campaign Dine.

Work of Big Organization to Raise \$100,000 in May Is Being Arranged.

The team captains of the men's division of the Aurora hospital, who are making a campaign organization met last night at the Manhattan cafe at a dinner where business and pleasure were combined. Plans of the men's division are proceeding well.

C. W. Lee, director of the campaign, is at present devoting his efforts to getting the working organization in proper shape for the raising of the large sum of money. Prominent citizens who have the welfare of the hospital, as well as the city, at heart, are giving all assistance possible. The executive committee appointed what is to be known as the citizens' committee last night.

They are as follows: C. S. Kilbourne, chairman, Hon. Samuel Alschuler, H. H. Alshuler, W. C. Atwood, J. D. Annenberg, W. R. Beaupre, Judge W. I. Babh, A. C. Berthold, James Chapman, Hon. Ira C. Copley, M. C. Harpman, Hon. C. C. Cooney, W. C. Foster, J. M. Eby, R. A. Evans, G. W. Eade, W. H. Fitch, Herman Felsenfeld, Edward Fernberg, E. C. Fisher, Lincoln B. Frazier, Walter S. Frazer, William George, S. R. Sonnenbach, E. W. Thompson, G. H. Todd, John W. West, P. J. Good, Horace E. Harley, P. J. Good, Hobbs, J. P. Harrel, Ed. Hanna, Albert Hirsch, Israel Joseph, Hedley F. Johnson, Peter Klein, John Knell, Joy Love, Larkin J. Mead, John T. Mason, O. T. Mason, R. D. Mahaffey, Henry McWethy, Harry W. Maxwell, M. E. Plann, A. J. Rogers, R. Stewart, Judge M. O. Southworth, W. W. Stephens, L. C. Staudt, Thomas W. Sanders.

Obituary

Paul Butthler, age 2 years and 3 months, son of Mrs. Paul Butthler, 549 Kane street, died at St. Charles hospital Wednesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. Besides the parents one brother, Edward, and one sister, Mildred, survive.

The funeral will be held Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the home at 549 Kane street, and at 2:30 from St. Charles hospital. Interment will be in St. Nicholas cemetery.

Mrs. J. L. Myers, a former resident of Sandwich and mother of H. E. Myers, formerly of Sandwich, died at her home in Frankfort, Mo., April 25. Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Myers will accompany the remains to Sandwich where interment will take place. The funeral will be held at Oak Ridge chapel, Sandwich, Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

The decedent leaves to mourn her loss her husband, one son and one grandson.

Mrs. Jennie Morris, widow of the late Nathan Morris, who died Monday at her home in Piquette street, was buried at Mirfield, Montgomeryshire, North Wales, Nov. 18, 1857. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Isaac, emigrated to this country when she was 10 years of age and settled near Utica, N. Y., where they lived for several years. In 1881 they moved to Big Rock where, Mrs. Morris was united in marriage to Nathan Morris. Eight children were born to them, five of whom survive her, Morton, Maynard, Gilbert, Annabel and Glen. Mr. and Mrs. Morris moved to Aurora in 1911 and took up their residence here. Mrs. Morris died in October, 1914. Two stepdaughters, Mrs. John T. Ingram and Mrs. Hugh Davis, and a stepson, Frank Morris, also six brothers and one sister, Mrs. Esther Palmer of Midford, Ore., also survive. Mrs. Palmer has been here some time assisting in the care of Mrs. Morris.

Mrs. Morris was a consistent member of the New England Congregational church.

Bessie-News want ads introduce you to buyers, sellers, tenants, landlords, employers, employees, etc.

BURLINGTON WILL RUN FEWER TRAINS

Will Cut Down Number of Passenger Trains as War Preparations Move, Is Report.

Will Make Available Here Rolling Stock for Troop and Supply Movements.

The number of passenger trains now operating on the Burlington railroad is to be reduced soon, according to information received from several sources in this city. Although no definite time has been set for this step, the Burlington, with other roads, is working out plans for such a move soon.

Chief Clerk Charles Simcocks, of the local offices of the Burlington this morning stated that he has heard the road men talked but knows nothing definite about the plans. In case of war, and the great need of moving troops in haste, the country would be handicapped by present conditions on the railroads and the immediate need of engines and cars. During the trouble between the United States and Mexico it took from four to six weeks for this country to get its troops on the border. Such a delay in case of an immediate call for troops now would be a serious handicap. Efforts are to be made to avoid this condition.

In order for the railroads to meet the nation's needs it will require the curtailing of passenger traffic. The railroads are now practically under government control, a railroad employee said this morning.

Paralleling Trains to Be Stopped. The government some time ago appointed six railroad heads to sit on this matter, and President Hale Kellogg of the Burlington was one of the men appointed. The taking off of trains will result mostly in cases where roads parallel each other between certain points and where trains can be taken off without seriously crippling the traffic.

Just what trains will be taken off on the Burlington road is still a matter of guesswork, but it is rumored that train No. 57, the fast express, which runs from Chicago to St. Paul, and goes thru Aurora at 9:40 a. m., will be one of the first to be removed when the trains are to be taken off service. This train does not carry passengers.

Other trains that may be affected are the passenger train No. 58, Commercial Limited, which arrives in Aurora mornings at 4:15 from St. Paul; No. 10, the Atlantic Coast Limited, due here at 1:30 p. m. from Denver; No. 1, Denver Limited, arrives here at 6:15 p. m. from Chicago.

In case these trains are taken off the Burlington railroad will be left with a few engines and hold them in reserve for immediate shipping facilities in case of a call from the government, it was said.

ENLISTS TWO DOCTORS HERE FOR U. S. RESERVE CORPS

The government sent another representative to Aurora today in the effort to further facilitate war preparations. The federal representative came after doctors for the medical officers reserve corps. It must be more than doubled. Seven doctors are necessary to every 1,000 soldiers. Dr. Lewis L. J. McArthur of Chicago, who visited Aurora in search of medical recruits, departed, said. He stated that two doctors had taken the examination. He may return in another week or so on account of the little time he had today. The examinations were held in the police building for doctors in actual service in \$200 per month.

SPRAINS AND STRAINS RELIEVED.

Bloan's Liniment quickly takes the pain out of strains, sprains, bruises and all muscle soreness. A clean, clear liquid easily applied. It quickly penetrates without rubbing. Bloan's Liniment does not stain the skin or clog the pores like many plaster ointments. For chronic rheumatism, neuralgia, toothache, headache, backache, neuralgia, gout and lumbago have this well-known remedy handy. For the pains of grippe and following strenuous work, it gives quick relief. At all druggists, 25c.—Advertisement.

PUBLISHERS PROTEST AT PRESS CENSORSHIP

(By Associated Press Local Wire.) New York, April 25.—The press censorship clause of the espionage bill now before congress is condemned by the American Newspaper Publishers' association on the ground that it imperils free institutions and strikes at the fundamental rights of the people. A resolution unanimously adopted at the association's annual convention yesterday requests congress to eliminate this clause. "A voluntary censorship, suggested by the government, is being carefully observed by the papers of the United States," says the resolution, "and no loyal newspaper will knowingly print anything which would give aid to the enemy."

HILL ESTATE \$51,179,899

St. Paul, Minn., April 25.—The estate of the late John D. Hill, of Washington, D. C., April 25.—Reported at the state department thru official channels tell of a strike of \$50,000,000 in value. While the name of the official who gave the information is withheld, the department says the incident shows the growth of the desire for peace on the part of the workmen. It is reported also that bread rationing has been reduced from 1,900 to 1,600 grams a week.

John Cassano Out Again.—John Cassano, city building and plumbing inspector, who has been ill at his home in Pennsylvania avenue, is able to get out again. He was able to be in the city hall yesterday afternoon for the first time in 10 days.

SEE HOPE FOR REFORMS

(By Associated Press Local Wire.) Amsterdam, via London, April 25.—The Berlin Vorwarts points out that it is the turn of the social democratic party to appoint a chairman of the constituent committee of the reichstag, says that Philipp Scheidemann, leader of the majority socialists, will be selected. The Vorwarts regards this as a very hopeful beginning for the reform of the constitution.

SWAMP-ROOT STOPS SERIOUS BACKACHE

When your back aches, and your bladder and kidneys seem to be disordered, remember it is needless to suffer—go to your nearest drug store and get a bottle of Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root. It is a physician's prescription for cures of the kidneys and bladder.

It has stood the test of years and has a reputation for quick and effectively giving results in thousands of cases. This prescription was used by Dr. Kilmer in his private practice and was so very effective that it has been placed on sale everywhere. Get a bottle, 10c. and 50c. at your nearest druggist. However, if you wish first to test this great preparation send ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Birmingham, N. Y., for a sample bottle. When writing be sure and mention the Aurora Daily Beacon-News.—Adv.

WASHINGTON LEARNS OF BIG BERLIN STRIKE

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A person who aspires to a musical and instrumental, is the most pitiful spectacle in the world.

Hair On Limbs DeMiracle

Removes hair from face, neck, arms and under arms.

For Every Room in the House

THE dining room, the bedroom, the parlor, or the kitchen—we have something for each—a large assortment to choose from—a wide range of prices.

We believe that buying trashy furniture is the most expensive investment one can make. So we try to sell honest furniture—furniture that will wear and hold together—at the lowest prices that such things can be sold for. That's your kind, and you will see as much of it in no other store as we are showing.

One of the greatest secrets of good house-keeping is how to make the best showing and secure the greatest comfort for the money spent. Come in and let us show you how to buy furniture that will yield the greatest amount of comfort and make the best showing within your money limit.

DENNEY & DENNEY

Furniture Dealers Funeral Directors
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Just Arrived An Order of Handsome Blouses



Complete Your Costume With a Budlong Hat

Your Summer Coat

Summer gowns with their daintiness and flutiness demand a coat in harmony—one that covers but does not eclipse their charms.

White Chinchilla

What more suitable than, than one of our handsome white chinchilla coats, broad bound, with large collar and pockets. Through a fortunate purchase, we are able to offer these coats of \$15 value, at \$8.95.

Silk Coats

Or if you prefer a handsome silk, the range of color and design is wide. We have coats of rich Gros de Londres, cut on charming lines, of Duchess satin with marabout trim, of silk poplin, elegantly lined, and evening coats in delicate shades.

If However

You want a serviceable, inexpensive coat of navy blue taffeta, half lined, in attractive loose belted models, with over collar of white. You will find it here at the remarkably low pricing of \$15.00. These coats are ideal for railroad or motor travel, yet are attractive enough for dress wear.

All of Our Spring Coats

Have been subjected to radical price reductions. The values are exceptional and the assortment in colors and models is still excellent. Many delicate and unusual shades are especially adapted to summer wear.

Special

300 Cotton Dresses, in checks, stripes, for children 2 to 6 years. Attractive high waisted models, white collars 39c

Suits at \$12.50, \$15, \$18



"His Master's Choice"

"The Reliable Store"

GOLDSMITH'S

GOOD CLOTHING

Aurora Society News

The women of America, certainly appear to be in the forefront of the day and there are organizations of all kinds, and, probably after a time these will be complete organizations. The women's committee appointed by the council of national defense at Washington to consider and advise how the women of America may be made available in the prosecution of the war, includes some notable names. With Dr. Anna Howard Shaw as chairman, Mrs. Philip N. Moore, president of the National Council of Women, Mrs. Joseph H. Cowley, president of the General Federation of Women's Clubs, Miss Maude Wetmore, chairman of the National League for Women's Service, Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt, president of the National American Woman Suffrage organization, Mrs. Antoinette Funk, Mrs. Stanley McCormick, Mrs. Joseph Lamar, president of the National Society of Colonial Dames and Miss Ida M. Tarbell.

Then comes word that the General Federation of Women's Clubs has undertaken to prepare a certified registration of all club women in the country, meaning that women who register must be examined by an expert in the line of service for which she registers, and must be free to render this service. The Red Cross will be a clearing house for the General Federation of Women's Clubs. All work now handled by the Red Cross will continue to go thru the Red Cross. District services, such as contributions of food products, will go thru the general federation. Secretary Lane, however, telegraphed to the general federation when in session recently in New Orleans: "The women of America can do no greater work at this time than to raise their own vegetables, can their own fruit, prevent waste in their homes and give impulse and enthusiasm to the men of the land. If they do this, they will be doing 50 per cent of the work of fighting the war for a fourth."

"Prevent waste" means something to the Aurora women who went down to market this morning, to find that it took one half of a dollar to buy a pound of butter and a whole dollar to buy a peck of old potatoes. New potatoes now \$1.15. "The farmer in the field" and the farmeress also, are working with hoe and rake all over the city.

Independent Club Meeting.
A meeting of the independent club was held yesterday with Mrs. Ray Doran in East Park avenue. The afternoon was spent with needle work and later luncheon was served. The next meeting will be held with Mrs. Frank Grottenort in Fourth avenue.

T. C. Club Meeting.
The T. C. club met Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Edward Hittinger in Lincoln avenue. The afternoon was made up by Madames J. Blitmore, George Lippold and H. Levey. Mrs. M. Robinson of Spring street will have the next meeting.

Aurora Stands Ape High.
Aurora has been examined by Theodore and Aurora looks good to him so good that he will come to Aurora to make his home. Theodore is the 13-year-old son of the Rev. Frank Beardsley of Keokuk, Ia., who is to assume the pastorate of the First Congregational church June 1. Theodore appears to have all the "pep" associated with people who belong to the Teddy class, for he wears Saturdays and after school in a Kentucky business house. When informed that his father was about to consider Aurora, he said, "I shall not go—I think father is interfering with my business career." Upon the return of his father and mother recently from Aurora, however, with their glowing accounts of the city, Theodore decided to bring his business ability to this city.

Daughters of American Revolution.
The meeting of the Daughters of the American Revolution will be held Saturday, April 28 at 2:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Fred B. 11 North Leucost street. All members are requested to make a special effort to attend.

For Mrs. Bohman.
The members of the Eight Cylinder club will have a theater party in Chicago Saturday in honor of Mrs. Royal Bohman of Beardstown, who is visiting here. The club members are Mrs. Samuel Clouser, Mrs. Harry Ladd, Mrs. Hollis Routhman, Mrs. Charles Ware, Mrs. Edward Parke, Mrs. Adolph Noss, Mrs. Joseph Spangler and Mrs. O. L. Youcum. They will see "Turn to the Right." This afternoon Mrs. Youcum entertained in honor of Mrs. Bohman.

Ladies' Guild.
At the meeting of the Ladies' guild yesterday afternoon at Trinity parish house, the matter of entering a Red Cross work in connection with the Red Cross Shop at the Y. M. C. A. or at the parish house was discussed. Nothing definite was decided as there were only eight members present. Mrs. Upshaw Ford, vice president, presided in the absence of the president, Mrs. Harry Thompson. A nominating committee was appointed to select the officers for the coming year, the election to be held at the next meeting, May 7.

Mrs. Porteous No Better.
A letter received from Mrs. Stanley Wilson, of LaGrange, daughter of Mrs. Florence Hill Porteous, this morning, states that her mother, who has been seriously ill, still remains in about the same condition.

Give "King Robert of Sicily."
Mrs. T. J. Parker and Mrs. Frederick Wernicke gave "King Robert of Sicily" at an "at home" given by Mrs. Fannie Bloomfield Ziesler in Chicago yesterday.

Rhineland Club Party.
The auxiliary of the Rhineland club gave a card party last evening in Rhineland hall which was well attended. Honors were won by Mrs. Peter Lee and Mrs. Frank Reynolds. Another party will be given in two weeks.

To Entertain Old Friends.
Mrs. Edward J. Wagner of Lebanon, Mo., will entertain a Red Cross girl friends informally at cards this evening and will also entertain a card club tomorrow afternoon.

Medical Tomorrow Night.
The Aurora-Governor Medical club

Society Card Party.

The second in the series of Wednesday afternoon card parties given by St. Anne's sodality of St. Nicholas church, was held yesterday afternoon. Fifteen tables were filled and honors were awarded to Mrs. George Lee, Mrs. Lena Paulay and Mrs. Dominick Welsberger.

West High Parent-Teacher Club.
The next meeting of the West High Parent-Teacher club will be held May 4 and will be in charge of the men. The Aurora college quartet will furnish the music and there will be some good speakers upon the question of military training in the public schools.

Past Noble Grand's Club.
The Past Noble Grand's club met yesterday with Mrs. Charles Anderson. Mrs. Anderson was assisted by Mrs. William Lindsey. Mrs. Edward Stran of Rock Island was a guest. Refreshments were served during the afternoon.

Alamo Chapter Meeting.
Alamo chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, of Naperville, will exemplify the work at the meeting of Alamo chapter, No. 694, of this city in Masonic hall at 7:30 o'clock, Saturday evening. All visiting members cordially invited to attend.

O. H. T. Club.
The O. H. T. club met yesterday with Mrs. L. A. Smith in North York street. The scores at five hundred were made by Madames E. Welchen, Charles Pfingel and J. McDole. Mrs. W. Rahn of North Aurora will have the next meeting.

Young Parent-Teacher Club.
The "Parent of Nations," recently given successfully in Aurora, will be produced at the East high school, May 1, for the benefit of the Young school Parent-Teacher club.

East High Open House.
One of the open house afternoons at East high school will be held Friday afternoon of this week.

Prevent Waste.
A meeting of the Women's alliance was held yesterday with Mrs. Andrew Spurr in Anderson street. There was the usual delicious luncheon, while the time was spent in sewing rugs for the rugs for which the alliance has become famous, and which will be sold at the sale of old-time supper which the alliance will have Saturday, May 5.

Marion Mack to Visit Aurora.
Mrs. Charles A. Sheffield (Marion Mack) and her children will arrive Saturday from Northampton, Mass., to visit her mother, Mrs. W. E. Mack. Her husband will arrive later. One understands that the Sheffield will remain in town until after the marriage of Mrs. Sheffield's sister, Miss Anne Mack to Maurice Lord.

Musical Program.
There will be an excellent program Sunday evening at 8 o'clock given by the music students of Holy Angels school. Admission to the hall will be free.

To Play Bridge.
A number of young Aurora women who were bridge students of Mrs. Frances Anderson a year or so ago, met for one of their practice games yesterday at the home of Mrs. R. L. Waters in Oakland boulevard.

Red Cross Meeting.
The usual Red Cross meeting was held yesterday at the Y. M. C. A. building. This is really a courageous and hard-working group and deserves praise. However, Elgin is going so far ahead of Aurora in Red Cross work, that there is nothing to say. It has taken its Red Cross chapter and already has 151 members. Some of the leading men and women of Elgin are interested in the movement.

Mrs. J. K. Groom, president of the Aurora Red Cross Shop, recently arrived from Washington, where she attended the national meeting of the Daughters of the American Revolution. Upon her arrival home she found her son, Capt. W. C. Groom, who is recovering from appendicitis, much improved but that Mrs. W. C. Groom had suffered a fall down stairs dislocating her hip. Mrs. Groom is resting as well as could be hoped.

Ben Fleur Club.
A meeting of the Ben Fleur club was held yesterday with Mrs. Rose Rodenbecker. The time was passed pleasantly in "Hooking the Ball." Mrs. Elida Shamba winning high score. Now what on earth is "hooking the ball"? It may be first cousin to "ballin' the jack." A three course luncheon was served. The next meeting will be held May 9 with Mrs. Charles Hoffman in Plum street.

Working for Y. M. C. A. fund.
One of the earnest workers in the Elgin campaign to raise \$10,000 toward the \$100,000 Illinois fund for Y. M. C. A. work in the United States army camps, is Clarence B. Stuchin of the Elgin branch of the Western United Gas & Electric Co. Mr. Stuchin who is a brother of R. N. Stuchin and formerly lived in Aurora, made an earnest speech in which he said:

"There will be need for this money the minute our boys are mobilized in camp. Temptations of camp life, which have undermined and ruined thousands of soldiers morally and physically in the past begin that minute. The work of the Y. M. C. A. is the only force to combat these temptations."

"There is just as much need of this work as there is of the Red Cross work. The Red Cross attends to the bodies of our boys are sound, their chances of recovery are lessened. The Y. M. C. A. camp work keeps our boys sound."

"We must have 100 per cent efficiency to win this war. We cannot win it unless we send strong physically fit young men to the front and keep them fit."

Five Hundred Club.
Miss Helen Denney will entertain the Five Hundred club at her home in South Fourth street this evening.

For Miss Johns.
Miss Mamie Michaels will give a party Saturday evening of this week in honor of Miss Margaret Johns who is to be married May 3 to Frank Michaels Jr.

Benefit Card Party.
Tomorrow evening the women of the L. C. B. A. will give a card party for the benefit of the St. Nicholas church repair fund at St. Nicholas hall.

Mrs. Ricker Has Party.
Mrs. J. Ricker Jr. of Avon street entertained 10 women friends informally at her home yesterday afternoon. Luncheon was served at 5 o'clock.

NAPERVILLE BISHOP PRESIDES IN CONFERENCE

DR. L. H. SEAGER DELIVERS INSPIRING ADDRESS AT WASHINGTON, ILL.

Washington, Ill. April 26.—The seventy-third session of the Illinois conference of the Evangelical association is being held in Washington Tuesday afternoon. The annual meeting of the Sunday school and Track Union and Conference Missionary society was held. In the missionary society meeting it was noticed that nearly \$10,000 was raised for home missionary work within the bounds of the conference.

The roll was called at 8 a. m. yesterday morning to which all but a few of the ministers responded. The laymen were well represented.

Bishop L. H. Seager, D. D., of Naperville is the chairman of the conference and opened the session with an inspiring and practical address on the subject, "The Ploughwork of the Kingdom," basing his remarks on the thirty-second verse of the ninth chapter of Luke, "No man having put his hand to the plow and looking back is fit for the kingdom of God." He spoke of plowing in the kingdom as breaking up the conventional, overturning the traditional, disturbing superficialities and bringing to bear upon the hidden depths the sunshine of heaven. This task is the ploughwork of the preacher in the kingdom. "Ears are more hungry for sympathy than their hearts are for bread. Altho the future sometimes looks dark we dare not turn back. He dare not leave his plowshare to rust. It's perilous to look back."

The presiding elder's reports were full of information which showed the work of the conference is in an excellent condition. Many things are confronting the conference which need a solution.

Fight After Taunts—Steve Ahert and Tony Bielek, Lithuanians, got into a fight in a North Broadway saloon last night when Ahert told Bielek he did not have nerve enough to enlist in the United States army. Both are naturalized. Before the fight was stopped the glass in the cigar case was broken. The police were called and both were arrested. They were fined \$2 and costs each by Police Magistrate Darlow this morning and made to pay for the show case.

Several Back Wagner Licensees—The license taken from John N. Wagner, the saloonkeeper at 11 North Broadway, will probably not be given to anyone until July 1, on which date the other licensees will be renewed. City Attorney Albert Kelley said today. Several men have applied for the license, among them Wagner. The mayor revoked Wagner's license for violation of the Sunday closing law.

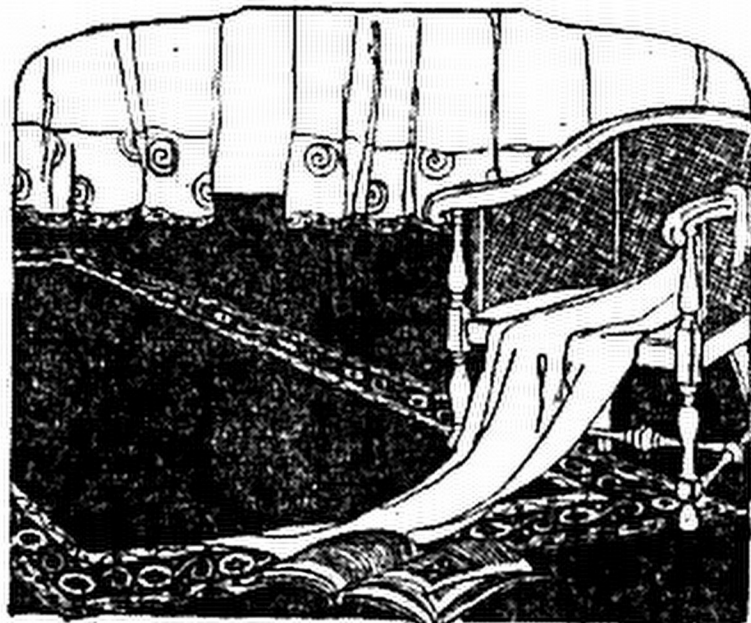
STOP LEFT OVER COUGHS.
Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey will stop that hacking cough that lingers from January. The soothing pine balsam chosen the phlegm, heals the irritated membrane, the glycerine relieves the tender tissues, you breathe easier and coughing ceases. Don't neglect a lingering cough, it is dangerous. Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey is Antiseptic and pleasant to take, benefits young and old, get it at your druggist today. Formula on the bottle. 25c—Advertisement.

SHOGER-BURGER
Miss Rose Burger of Aurora, when asked at the county clerk's office today, while applying for a marriage license, "Where were you born?" answered, "In Union street."

A marriage license was issued to Miss Burger, age 19, of Aurora and Arthur Shoger, 24, of Plainfield. They were married by Justice W. A. Keiser of Geneva.

The only part of many imported hats is the foreign label in the lining.

Evidently the moving picture promoters feel that no case is convincing unless there is a woman in it.



Four Great Rug Bargains

Tapestry Rugs at \$17.50

Size 8.3x10.6 heavy Tapestry Brussels Rugs, made of fine carpet yarns, fast colors, most of them in one solid piece, handsome Medallion and all-over effects, you must see them to appreciate the values, specialized at \$17.50.

Brussels Rugs at \$27.50

Size 9x12 Extra heavy Tapestry Brussels Rugs, very closely woven and in one solid piece, handsome oriental and all-over effects, beautiful colorings, they are noted for their extreme durability, specialized at \$27.50.

Axminster Rugs \$29.50

Size 9x12, closely woven of finest worsted yarns, extra high pile, latest Medallion, Oriental and Persian effects, beautiful colorings, rugs that will give splendid satisfaction, specialized at \$29.50.

Wilton Velvet Rugs, \$32.50

Size 9x12 best quality Seamless Wilton Velvet Rugs, including such famous makes as Colonial, Sanford, Teberau, Beatties, Wiltons, etc. Splendid selection of all the latest patterns, specialized at \$32.50.

Heavy Inlaid Linoleum Specialized, Sq. Yard, \$1.35

Extra heavy quality Inlaid Linoleum, made of best linseed oil and cork, burled back, newest tile and parquet patterns. We recommend it because we know it's been thoroughly tested.

AURORA'S BEST SHOPPING PLACE

Saturday — A Monster Sale
Hardy Garden Flowers

Mark well the date—two days hence, and be on hand! A sale of Flower Plants, Shrubs and other Hardy Nursery Stock on the most colossal scale we've yet attempted. The largest stock in this territory—Grown Right and Dug Right—fine and fresh—our best and standard qualities—the choicest in the land. Everybody can afford to plant flowers, shrubs and trees this year, because we now offer them at prices below actual wholesale market value. Wherever you live, decide now to beautify your premises. The small cost involved by buying now will permit of more extensive planting and greater variety than you had hoped for. Set aside this Saturday to make YOUR NURSERIES a visit, and come prepared to buy all you can afford. It will pay you and pay you big. Our big stock room will be arranged to meet the tremendous demand; stock will be conveniently situated to make selection easy and facilitate handling, and our entire force of trained nursery specialists will be on hand to assist in serving the retail trade.

Nothing Reserved—Everything on Sale—Including Our Entire Stock of Shrubs, Trees, Vines, Perennial Plants, Evergreens and Roses

The Shrubs

Read these Prices

High-Bush Cranberry, 3-4 ft., each 35c, 5 for \$1.25
High-Bush Cranberry, 2-3 ft., each 25c, 5 for \$1
Red Dogwood, 3-4 ft., each 25c, 5 for \$1
Purple Barberry, 2-3 ft., each 25c, 5 for \$1
Big Flowering Syringa, 3-4 ft., each 25c, 5 for \$1
Lilacs, white and purple, 3-4 ft., each 25c, 5 for \$1
Hydrangeas, good plants, each 25c, 5 for \$1
Golden Bell Forsythia, each 25c, 5 for \$1
Bush Honeyuckle, 3-4 ft., each 25c, 5 for \$1
Snowballs, 4-5 ft., each 25c, 5 for \$1
White Kerria, select plants, each 25c, 5 for \$1
Illinois Rose, big plants, 25c each, 5 for \$1
Rosa Rugosa, 2 years, 25c each, 5 for \$1
Rose of Sharon, big bushes, 4-5 ft., 4 colors, worth \$1, sale price 40c each, 3 for \$1
Common Barberry, 25c each, 5 for \$1
Japanese Barberry, 2-3 ft., 25c each or 5 for \$1
Dentzia, 3-4 ft., 25c each or 5 for \$1
Japanese Bitter Sweet, 25c each or 5 for \$1
Hydrangeas, big plants, each 35c, 4 for \$1
Spiraea-Ninebark, 3-4 ft., each 25c, 5 for \$1
Bridal Wreath, extra select plants, 4-5 ft., 40c each or 3 for \$1
Snowberry, each 25c, or 5 for \$1
Weigela, 3-4 ft., 25c each or 5 for \$1

Beautiful Roses

Our stock of Roses is fast becoming exhausted. As long as they last we will offer Climbing and Bush Roses at

50c Each
Or 3 for \$1.00

Mothers Old Fashion Flowers—Continued

Hardy Phlox in 6 varieties; Red, Pink, White, Scarlet, 15c; per doz. \$1.50
Platycedon (Japan Balloon Flower), 15c; per doz. \$1.50
Golden Glow, 10c each; 25c 3 for \$1
Stone Crop, 15c each; \$1.50 per doz.
Corn Flower, 15c each; \$1.50 per doz.

Mothers Old Fashion Flowers

Those hardy plants that come up every spring. Things you don't have to re-plant every year, and that if cared for properly will last for many seasons. This is just the right time to plant, so get yours in the ground now.

Achilles—The Pearl, 15c; per doz. \$1.50
Columbines, 15c; per doz. \$1.50
Hardy Chrysanthemums, 15c; per doz. \$1.50
Coreopsis, 15c; per doz. \$1.50
Delphinium, Hardy Larkspur, 15c; doz. \$1.50
Sweet William, 15c; per doz. \$1.50
Bleeding Heart, 25c; per doz. \$2.50
Hardy Ferns, 20c; 50c 3 for \$1
Gaillardias, 15c; per doz. \$1.50
Penstemon, 15c; per doz. \$1.50
Mallow Marvels, 15c; per doz. \$1.50
Japanese Iris—Blue and White, 20c; 3 for 50c
German Iris—5 kinds, 15c; per doz. \$1.50
Siberian Iris, 15c; per doz. \$1.50
Lobelia Cardinalis, 15c; per doz. \$1.50
Scarlet Sage, 15c; per doz. \$1.50

PEONIES

Mixed—2 to 3 eyes, 25c each; 5 for \$1.00
7 fine named kinds, French and American varieties, each 50c
White—2 to 3 eyes, each 35c
Red—3 to 5 eyes, each 35c
Pink—3 to 5 eyes, each 35c
3 for \$1.00

Bush Fruits

Currants, any variety, 15c each
Gooseberries, each 15c
Raspberries, St. Regis, 15c
Everbearing, doz. \$1
Blackberries, per dozen \$1

Strawberries

Strawberries, good varieties, per 100 \$1
Everbearing—Strawberries, per 100 \$2

Pie Plant, 10c each, \$1 per 10
Asparagus, per 100 \$1

Hedge Shrubs

Hedges Amour Privet (the only hardy hedge, big plants) per 100 \$10
Mulberry Seedlings, \$1.50 per 100
Ibota Privet, per 100 \$10

Fruit Trees

Apples, 25c each, 5 for \$1
Cherry, 50c each, 3 for \$1
Pear, 50c each, 3 for \$1
Peach, 25c each, 5 for \$1
Plum, 50c each, 3 for \$1

Extra Specials

Bridal Wreath, 12-18-in., 10 50c for \$1

Bridal Wreath, 18-24-in., 10 for \$1

Japanese Barberry, 12-18-in., 10 for 75c

Japanese Barberry, 18-24-in., 10 for \$1

Mothers Old Fashion Flowers—Continued

Hardy Garden Pinks, 15c; per doz. \$1.50
Double Tiger Lilies, 15c each; per doz. \$1.50
Red Hot Poker Plant, each 25c
Myrtle—Small rootlet, each 5c
Yucca, 15c each; \$1.50 per doz.
Shasta Daisy, 15c per doz. \$1.50

Should Saturday bring forth a rainy day, the sale will be held over and continued on Monday. Any plants left after the sale day will be sold at sale prices. Positively no business transacted on Sunday.

AURORA NURSERIES
J. A. Young, President Garfield Ave. and Elmwood Drive

BOY SCOUT FUND IS NOW \$4,838

Last Drive Is Begun by Workers Today for the More Than \$5,000 Needed.

SCOUT COUNCIL IS LEADING

The Boy Scout workers closed their second day of campaigning last night with a total of \$4,838.50 for the two days' work. This figure leaves them a total of over \$5,000 to be collected on the final lap today.

The work went better yesterday than it fell short of the required mark. The workers at dinner last night reported a total of \$2,868.50 for the day, an increase of approximately \$800 over the first day when the receipts totaled \$1,968.50. The Scout Council team was the banner organization for the day, landing \$808.50 during the day. The Y. M. C. A. was second turning in \$544.50 and the Kiwanis team third with \$485.50.

The other teams follow: Professional and bankers, \$433; Manufacturers, \$330; K. of C., \$176; Moose, \$151; Elks, \$30; City Hall, no report.

Last Drive Today. The workers went out last night determined to land the remaining \$5,000 to complete the \$10,000 budget today. The general feeling seemed to be that the workers had only to hustle and the money would be forthcoming.

Edward C. Bacon, national scout commissioner, last night stated that the campaign would not be closed tonight unless the required mark was reached. He stated that the workers would be kept until the mark was gained or it seemed certain that it would not be attained.

With the half day work still unpassed it looked probable last night that the campaign would be continued until about Friday noon. The workers are anxious to clean up tonight.

Societies and Clubs

Thursday. Owing to the institute to be held at Duquesne Thursday of this week, there will be no meeting of the Central W. C. T. U. Friday of this week. Watch the paper for notice of the next meeting.

A stated meeting of Rising Sun chapter, No. 31, Order Eastern Star, will be held in Masonic hall Thursday evening, April 26, at 7:30 o'clock for business and work. Visiting members are cordially invited to attend—Rhonda Walker, W. M. Mabel E. Hanson, secretary.

The Victoria club will meet Thursday evening with Mrs. Benjamin George, 165 North Union street, at 8 o'clock.

Friday. The Altar and Rosary society of St. Mary's church will give a card party in the school hall Friday evening, April 27. The women hope every family in the parish will be represented with their friends.

The Sons of Veterans' auxiliary will have a birthday party Friday at the home of Mrs. R. E. McLaughlin, 509 Claim street. Take Claim street car, get off at Beach street.

Mrs. George Erlanson of 29 McMillan avenue will entertain the South Lake street Parent-Teacher club at a 10-cent Kasha Friday afternoon. All mothers having children in the school are cordially invited to come, bringing fancy work and sewing. The meeting is held for the purpose of becoming better acquainted.

There will be a special convocation of Aurora commandery, No. 22, Knights Templar, Friday evening, April 27, at 7:30 o'clock, for the purpose of work. All Knights Templar cordially invited—Maxwell E. Gelpi, commander, Charles Sweetman, recorder.

The Minneapolis Sewing society will hold an all day meeting Friday in Odd Fellows hall. Lunch will be served at noon. All members are urged to attend.

Regular meeting of "Tirzah Rebekah No. 188 Friday evening at 8 o'clock in I. O. O. F. hall. Initiation.

IN THE COURTS

Circuit Court.

Charles Case. Elias Myers vs. John Littlejohn; dismissed by complainant.

John Littlejohn vs. Mary I. Littlejohn et al.; same.

Probate Court.

Alice A. Weber et al. minors; letters of guardianship issued to William G. Weber; bond \$12,000.

Lydia C. Young estate; letters issued to Roger W. Young; bond \$4,000; July for claims.

Henry Leschow estate; letters testamentary issued to Johanna Leschow; bond \$8,000; July for claims.

Gotthard Heck estate; letters testamentary issued to Anna H. Linden; bond \$50,000; July for claims.

Oliver cemetery allowed \$187, Boyle & Artup \$112, H. A. Brennecke \$121.

Arthur Refer estate; letters issued to Fannie Refer; bond \$500; July for claims.

Michel Gies estate; citation dismissed; estate in Kendall county.

William J. Slattery estate; inventory, appraisal and award approved.

William Yoo estate; final report approved.

Charles Wehling estate; same.

Eugene Mann estate; same.

Frank Hanks estate; same.

John E. Weber estate; proof of no title.

Charles Harding estate; same.

Celeste C. Harding estate; inventory approved.

Henry Johannsen estate; inventory and appraisal approved; leave to sell personal property at private sale.

Henry Johannsen estate; proof of heirship; inventory approved.

Effie M. Marley estate; leave to sell real estate.

Joseph Sturges estate; leave to erect monument; J. C. Cregoran allowed \$428.61, W. L. Murphy \$15.

George M. Hadden estate; proof of heirship; relinquishment and final report approved.

Frederick Helmick estate; proof of heirship.

Charles O. Fritz estate; A. F. Chapman Co. allowed \$121.11.

Penelope Fletcher estate; F. T. Norris allowed \$228, A. L. Mann \$88.

Elgin Women's Club \$41.78, H. K. Scott \$10, E. J. Vall \$191.

Magdalena Siedelman estate; P. M. Siedelman allowed \$202.75.

Lewla Laughlin estate, W. H. & A. S. Healy allowed \$190.80, Aurora Mausoleum association \$128, F. P. Garrison \$15.

Elizabeth Owen estate; A. W. Davis allowed \$21.

Probate Court.

Mary G. Lackey estate; probate of will set for May 15.

Lucy A. Whitney estate; same.

Catherine White estate; same for May 22.

John C. Rue estate; appeal bond approved.

Susan C. Cole estate; proof of heirship; final report set for July 2.

John E. Cutter estate; letters issued to R. H. Cutter; bond \$1,000; July for claims.

F. J. Schoonhoven estate; July for claims.

Charles F. Robertson estate; inventory, appraisal and award approved.

Nancy I. M. Lowry estate; citation continued to May 1.

Saves Money



Sweet as a Nut

SANDWICH BUSINESS MEN IN PATRIOTIC LUNCHEON

SUCCESSFUL AFFAIR IN CLUB ROOMS—DISCUS COMMUNITARIANISM

Sandwich, Ill., April 26.—The Commercial club held a social success at the luncheon given at the club rooms Tuesday evening, under the supervision and direction of President E. E. Wallace.

The rooms and tables were artistically decorated with flags and bunting which lent patriotic enthusiasm to general spirit of good fellowship which prevailed among the guests.

E. B. Moon who had been engaged to give the address of the evening on the subject of "Community Betterment," failed to appear but the time was profitably spent by several of the members of the club speaking on various subjects of interest to the city which showed the members are earnestly considering how the club can most effectively aid in the city's progress.

The luncheon was served by Mr. and Mrs. Will Burkhart and was much enjoyed by all present. It is planned to hold these pleasant socials at least once a month.

Miss Lucile Hummel spent her vacation week at home.

Miss Olga Keene of Joliet spent Sunday with her folks.

There are several cases of chicken-pox among the younger folk.

Miss Grace Coleman is visiting relatives in Chicago this week.

Mayor-elect J. L. Warner is rapidly improving from his serious illness.

R. W. Campbell of Chicago is visiting his mother, Mrs. Mary Campbell.

Little Allen and Ruth Norton are some of the late victims of whooping cough.

Miss Edna Gurley of Chicago is spending her vacation with Sandwich friends.

Earl Morris, wife and son of Dr. Kalb spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Morris.

Mrs. Alice Gray and Miss Allie are expected home from Daytona Beach, Fla., the last of this week.

Work has begun on the fine new bungalow H. A. Severy expects to build in Lafayette street this spring.

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MANY MORE IN ILLINOIS ARE WILLING TO TESTIFY

MRS. S. J. BROWN, of 3rd and Ford Sts., Geneva, Ill., says: "I had taken care of a person ill with consumption, and had contracted a cough and was a badly run-down condition. I had a doctor but the treatment seemed to be too slow, or to do little good. Then I began using Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and it eased my cough and I began to build up. After using the third bottle I had my usual strength back and have had no cough since. I give the credit of my recovery to the 'Discovery'."

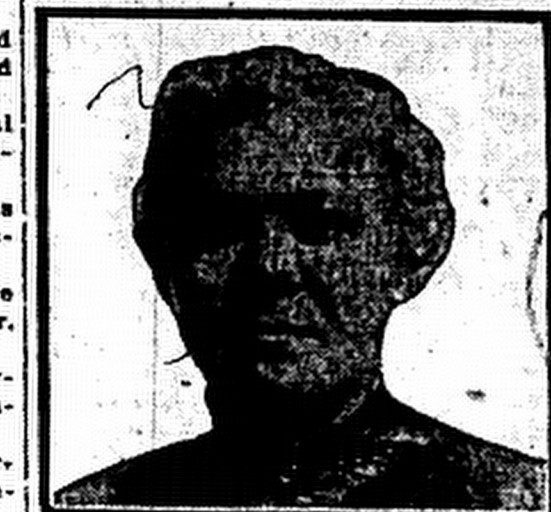
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the past 40 years, is endorsed by many well-known residents of Illinois. Every day more and more people are coming to realize that this is a standard medicine, and is safe to take. It contains no alcohol or narcotics. The ingredients are printed on the package. It is to be had at every drug store in the land in either liquid or tablet form.

If not obtainable at your dealer's send \$1.00 to Dr. Pierce, Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y., and he will send large package of tablets, or send fifty cents for smaller size.

MRS. L. W. MILLER, residing at 308 Pecan St., Carbondale, Ill., says: "I consider Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription a great boon to woman-kind for weakness, also for inflammation for which I have been greatly benefited."

MRS. A. E. GREEN, 813 S. Sixth St., Quincy, Ill., says: "Some years ago I moved to Colorado, and the climate did not agree with me. I got all run-down, could not eat nor sleep. I became very thin and weak; my blood was also in a very bad condition. I sent to the druggist for some medicine and he sent me Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and it soon restored me to health and strength. I cannot say enough in praise of this medicine."



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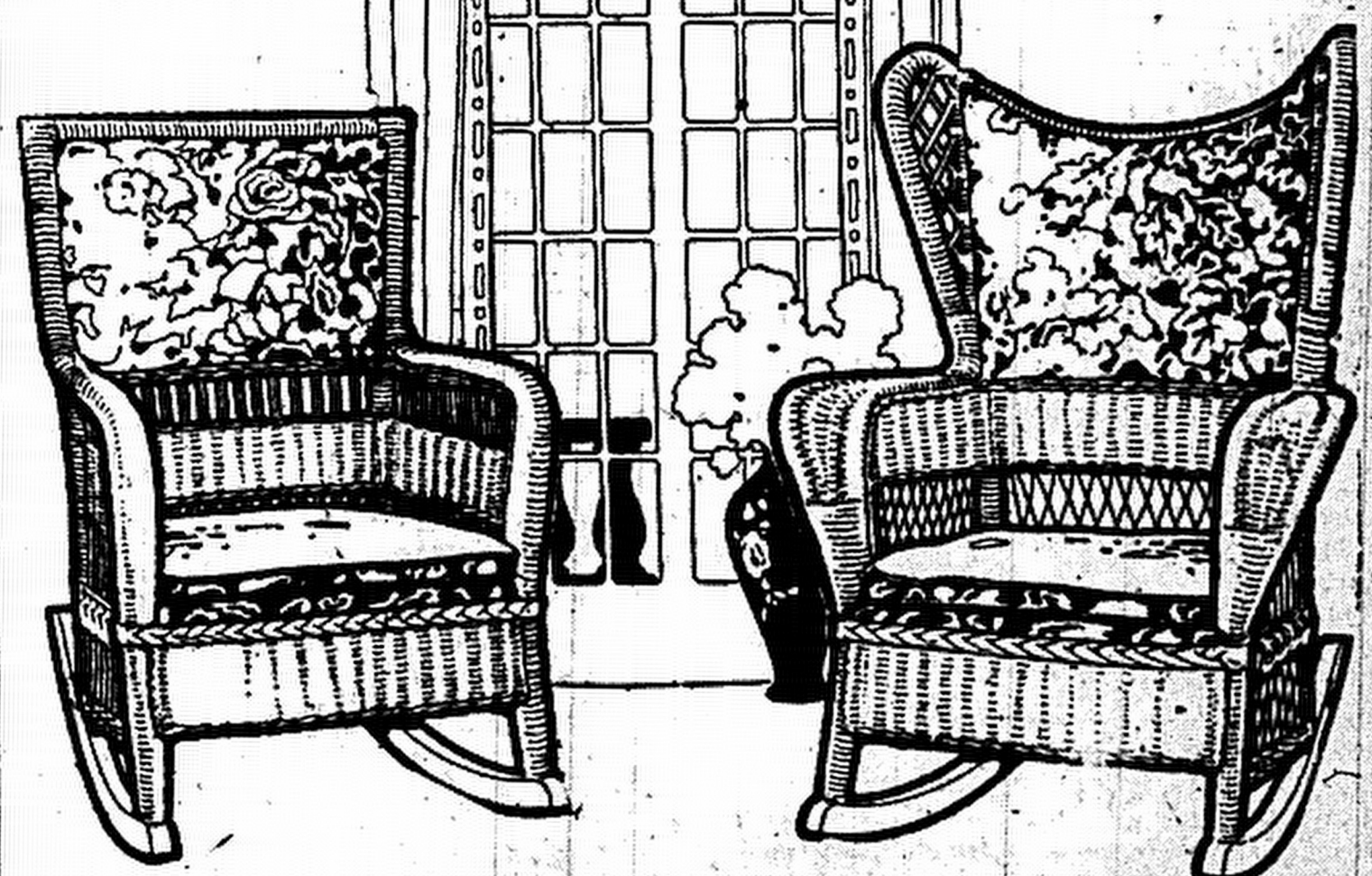
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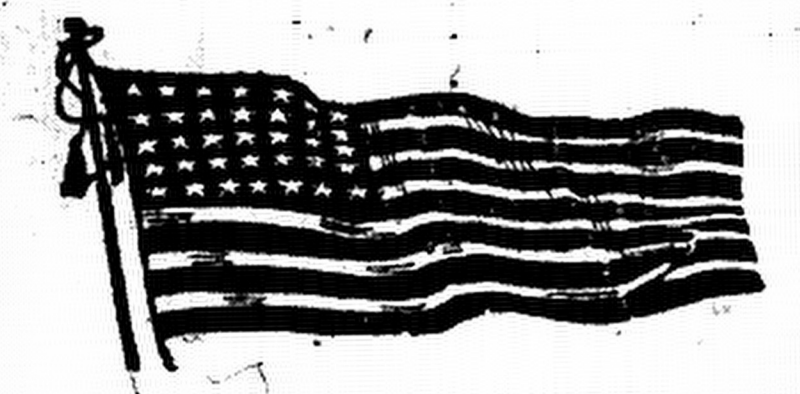
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THIS DAY IN ILLINOIS HISTORY.

April 26, 1847—Springfield & Merceda Railroad (Northern Cross railroad) was sold at auction Monday, April 26, 1847. It was bought by Messrs. Ridgely and Mattison of Springfield.

POSTPONING THE CONVENTION.

Altho Aurora had long anticipated with pleasure the coming of the Illinois State Elks' association to this city for their annual reunion, nevertheless this city will join with the Elks in the thought that all forms of jovial celebration are out of place at this time and will endorse heartily the plan to raise a \$30,000 war relief fund instead.

The Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks is a distinctively American organization. All lodges are located in this country. The American flag has always had a distinguished part in its ritualistic ceremonies. Each year it is compulsory upon every lodge in the country to observe Flag day with appropriate exercises. Therefore, it is entirely in keeping with the principles of the order and with the patriotic spirit of its members to attend seriously to the present business in which we are engaged, the preservation of American ideals.

Aurora went after the convention last year strong. The Beacon-News was pleased to add its word in the general invitation. Had the delegates come to this city in June as planned they would have been given a royal reception.

But now that the executive committee in conference with the committee from the local lodge have decided to postpone the convention for a year or whatever date is decided upon, the citizens here will concur unconditionally in their action.

Indeed the assurance will be given that when the next convention of the order is held and Aurora is the hostess there will be no lack of genuine welcome.

ILLINOIS' OPPORTUNITY.
Just at this time when crop production in Illinois means more than it ever did before, a circular recently issued by Dr. Cyril G. Hopkins of the agricultural school of the state university is of particular importance.

Dr. Hopkins tells why Illinois produces only half a crop.

Boiled down, the reasons set forth are that crop rotation and building up of the soil are neglected too much.

In the last census year, 1910, Illinois led all states in the value of farm land and in the value of the corn, oats crop and hay crops.

Further, in the value of all crops, Illinois excelled the next highest state by 20 per cent.

Illinois was the oldest soil experiment station in the United States. It was started in 1879 by Prof. George E. Morrow on what was then the field of the Illinois agricultural college at Urbana but which is now a part of the campus of the University of Illinois, so great has been the growth of the institution.

In a part of this field, corn has been grown on the same land for nearly 40 years. On another part corn and oats have been grown in alternation while on a third part corn, oats and clover have been grown in rotation. Careful figures have been kept and the university knows exactly what crops have been produced in all this time.

Near by are 50 additional experiment plots laid out by Prof. Eugene Davenport in 1895 upon which are raised corn, oats, clover, wheat and alfalfa. Figures also have been kept on the crops on these plots.

There is no guess work about all this. Any one interested may address the university and get complete facts about the raising of crops at the station.

Scientific agriculture would make Illinois the champion crop producing section of the world.

THE SCHEME SOUNDS PLAUSIBLE.

This man Schuetzler who has been chief of police of Chicago for some time is a peculiar individual.

Casting about for some means to cut down the expenses in the department he has suggested that a large number of police officers detailed to keep order at public dances be taken off that job and given regular beats.

The chief makes this pertinent suggestion: "If these dances are so bad as to need the presence of police officers, then stop the dances."

GUARDING AGAINST HATRED.

A resolution has passed the California assembly declaring that "any motion picture or other public exhibition which tends in any manner to promote hatred or foster ill feeling or animosity between the people of the United States and any friendly foreign nation is against public policy, particularly when the country is engaged in war, and that all such exhibitions should be suppressed. The authorities in every part of California should exercise the utmost vigilance to prevent such exhibitions, to the end that our international relationships may not be complicated by selfish or vicious appeals to prejudice."

For several days a San Francisco newspaper has carried on a vigorous campaign for the suppression of a certain motion picture serial on the ground that it is calculated to stir up ill feeling between Americans and Japanese and Mexicans, and has printed statements by many leading citizens to the effect that the picture

YOUR HEALTH

(By JOHN B. HUBER, A. M., M. D.)

There is a rest—Bible.

The consumptive must rest. There is otherwise no hope for his emaciated body, an organism on the verge of bankruptcy. Here is, of course, a factor difficult of management, especially among the poor (who furnish the majority of consumption cases), many of whom feel that they must somehow work in order to maintain themselves and their families. Yet there has to be rest, especially when there is fever; and at last rest, which has been recuperated from the exhaustion which has been the prime predisposition to this disease. For the consumption germ fattens on devitalized tissues.

The rest has got to be absolute if the bodily temperature reaches 100 degrees by the clinical thermometer; and the bed inescapably when the fever has gone above 100. The rest should, if possible, be outdoors—at least with open windows. When the air is cold warm headgear is to be worn; or the woolen "helmet" which comes down over the collar bone. And the footwear must be at least as ample and as comfortable as the headgear. The body must be abundantly clothed; there are sleeping bags made for such patients. The ideal sleep is involved in the rest. Nowhere else should nature's soft nurse be so sedulously wooed. Insomnia is most exhausting in such a disease as this when it is so necessary to conserve and build up the strength. Nor has any restorative ever been invented to compare with sleep. Insomnia with fatigue and over-exertion have predisposed many to tuberculosis. We strive to induce sleep without medication if possible; it may come either way by inducing the sleep of hot milk after the patient has been tucked away for the night.

This Consumptive Rested.

Following are extracts from a letter I have received: About the middle of September last my attention was directed to Dr. Laurence Brown's book "The Rules for the Recovery from Tuberculosis" and for the first time I learned the real meaning of rest in tuberculosis. Since early in October I went to bed and in a couple of weeks the fever left me. All the exercise I took was to get up for 15 minutes every morning to go to the toilet always having some one to assist me with putting on or taking off my clothes, bathing, etc.; taking all my meals in bed. As a result, the present time is practically an un-rested case, my appetite having been negative as to T. B. on three separate occasions. If you could see your way clear to tell in your medical articles, the real meaning of rest in tuberculosis, I feel certain it would be the means of saving a great many lives.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS.

I have had an attack of shingles that has lasted six months and seems to be getting worse all the time. The suffering entailed by this burning and pain is intensely severe.

Answer—Few ailments are more distressing than shingles (herpes zoster or cingulum as the doctors call it). There are blisters along the line of a nerve, usually associated with rheumatism and for the most part are atmospheric changes, exposure to cold and wet, a hurt of any given nerve (such as a blow upon it) and the long continued use of such drugs as arsenic. The trouble is almost invariably on one side. The cause must be found and removed for a real cure. The blisters are best protected by painting them with flexible collodion, containing morphine in grain to on powder. Only a small amount of opium should be used (a bit of the drugist) is also very effective locally; saturate gauze with it, lay on and a piece of oiled silk over all.

EVENING CHIT-CHAT

(By RUTH CAMERON)

Invalids and selfishness. "And she used to be so unselfish and thoughtful of other people," said my neighbor.

We were talking of one of those who has been a invalid for the past two years. With her illness has come a startling change in character. She used to be interested in other people, thoughtful, cheerful, unselfish; she has become querulous, self-centered and absolutely unprincipled in the greediness with which she accepts the self-immolation of an unusually devoted daughter.

"Well," said I, "invalidism usually does affect people that way."

"Does it?" said my neighbor. "What about Elizabeth?" She found strength of character on a sick bed.

Elizabeth is the tenderest, strongest woman we know. And she found her strength and her gentleness (these two qualities that are so strangely, yet so often found together) on a sick bed where she lay for months, uncertain if she would ever walk again.

"Oh, yes," said I, "but she is different."

"Yes," said my neighbor, "she stood almost the hardest test one could have and come out unselfish. You couldn't pay her a bigger tribute."

And I agreed.

I do not think people fully realize the dangers of selfishness that lie in an extended period of invalidism.

We see how slender is the Thread.

Illness makes the "sword of Damocles" that always hangs over our loved ones visible. We shudder to see how slender the thread that holds it and we cannot do enough for the one who is threatened.

This is all very well if the illness does not last too long. But if it does, the invalid is too likely to come to accept these attentions as his due and to grow used to services of any kind. When one cannot wait on oneself it gradually becomes natural to accept everything from others, and accept it as one's due, not as a beautiful gift.

When people are always asking about one's health, one comes to assume that one's health is the all-important thing.

Other People Are to Blame for the Invalid's Self-centeredness.

When one does not have to make the effort that the average daily living involves it is so easy to stop making any kind of effort.

When one has the justification of pain, it is so easy to give way to querulousness.

When one is sick and shut in, it is so easy to get into the habit of being depressed and of letting other people give constantly of their vitality to cheer one up.

It is always easy to be selfish and an effort to be unselfish. It is doubly hard when all those about you are eager to aid and abet you, as they are in the case of a beloved invalid.

THE SEARCHLIGHT

War Motors.

One of the most important war measures to be put through in this country is the mobilization of motor vehicles and motor boats, the former to be used in transporting military equipment and hospital supplies and the latter to be used in coast defense. Lists of motor cars, together with the names of their owners and information as to the motor drivers, are rapidly being compiled in every state.

In Boston, a woman's motor car has been organized, the chauffeurs wearing appropriate and becoming uniforms. No woman is eligible to membership in this corps unless she possesses a chauffeur's license and is able to make repairs, even to the putting on of tires. The names of many women are also on the lists of motor boats in the navy department. Great value is set upon the small fast motor boat as a means of coast defense, inasmuch as it was the chief instrument which checked the German submarine activities in the British channel.

should not be shown. Some of the theaters have withdrawn the picture.

An Aurora resident lately returned from California, says that in all the bare thruout the state this sign is posted in a conspicuous place, "No War Talk Allowed."

CONSISTENCY.

Johnson—Who's that vestryman who delivered the Christmas address to the Sunday school children on peace on earth, good will to men?

Thompson—He's a millionaire who got rich making munitions for the belligerents.—Life.

The Department of Agriculture

XII. Prophet of the Crops

(By Fredrick J. Haskin).

Washington, D. C., April 23.—The department of agriculture today is humming with activity. You can not go into the smallest of its score of buildings without catching the indefinable feel of large activities and the rush of preparation in the air. Nowhere is this feeling stronger than in the bureau of crop estimates, where they are quickly and rapidly taking stock of the farm and food resources of the biggest and richest producer nation on earth.

The work of estimating the crop yields months in advance with its elaborate trip-balanced organization covering the country, is a fascinating thing to watch at any time. It is doubly fascinating now, for it is the ground work for all agricultural preparedness. Before the nation can apply its mighty productive forces, it must know those forces should be applied. The first step in preparation is to know what we have got, and what we need.

The bureau of crop estimates has already told us that the winter wheat crop is \$2,000,000 bushels short of last year, and as a result of that information, steps have already been taken to make up the shortage. The bureau can make an accurate estimate of the condition and probable yield of any important crop in the United States within two weeks of the time the estimate is asked for. It can get it in a reasonably accurate estimate by wire within 24 hours. It can furnish similar estimates, not only on crops, but on any farm materials, or on the available supply of farm labor, which is one of the most pressing questions of the moment.

Efficiency is the result of organization. Few people have an adequate idea of the huge organization back of the monthly crop estimates. It is a vast network of regular and special reports, and every one of the 236 rural counties in the United States has a county agent, a county reporter, who generally has about four assistants who report to him, making a total of over 14,000 men come to the bureau of Washington, where they furnish the basis for one set of estimates.

Then there are the township reporters, working independently, one to every township, 33,000 of them in all. These men also report directly to the bureau, and their estimates are tabulated and totaled, furnishing the basis for a second set of estimates. Then, there is in every state a salaried specialist who has a corps of voluntary reporters covering the state, quite independent of the county and township reporters, making reports to him directly, and on the basis of what he sees and what his

reporters tell him, he prepares a crop estimate for his state, which he sends to the bureau.

Three Sets of Estimates. Thus the bureau has three separate and distinct sets of estimates to collect and check up in preparing its final estimate. By means of this system, estimates are made so accurately that they check up within two or three per cent of the actual crop yield. It is possible to check up the estimates on the crop very accurately, because the census bureau is ordered by law to report on the actual amount of cotton produced. The crop estimate on cotton has differed less than 1 per cent from the actual crop harvested for the last three years. For two years, it differed less than one-half of 1 per cent. This is a good deal closer than the individual farmer can estimate in advance the yield from a 10-acre field.

Regular estimates are published monthly on a long list of staple crops, but the bureau of crop estimates can give an accurate idea of the national average of anything connected with the farm. Recently it was desired to know how many steam tractors there were in use in the United States. The bureau sent out queries to 32,000 selected co-operators, and in a few days would know the answer. For the same reason, the value of such service to a nation in a very close.

The work of the bureau is made possible by the existence of a national spirit of co-operation and good will. Only the state inspectors and a few specialists draw salaries. The thousands on thousands of crop reporters do their work for no compensation, often going to great trouble gathering information and filling out regular and special reports, and every one of the 236 rural counties in the United States has a county agent, a county reporter, who generally has about four assistants who report to him, making a total of over 14,000 men come to the bureau of Washington, where they furnish the basis for one set of estimates.

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gies are laid, with each set of figures just showing over the set below. These piles go to the expert calculator, who adds down the totals at a glance. These men become almost incredibly expert through years of practice. It has been found by trial that they work faster than any calculating machine.

When the various totals on the three sets of estimates have been compiled, a so-called crop estimating board goes into secret session to compile the final estimate. Every precaution is taken to prevent "leaks," because a little advance information on the estimate of such a crop as wheat, for example, would lead to fortunes being made and lost on the exchange. The reports of the state estimators have previously been sent to the department in special envelopes. They go direct to the secretary's office, where they are locked in a special safe, and only the secretary or the acting secretary of agriculture may open them. While the estimating board is in session, crop estimating board is in session, usually a matter of five or six hours—the whole bureau of crop estimates is locked, and no one is allowed to pass in or out.

When the estimates have been made and printed on a number of sheets, the sheets are distributed to the newspapers and others, the sheets are taken down to the telegraph section. The exact minute for publication has been made public long in advance. A few years ago, the board was so late in announcing its results, that during the 30 second interval, a rumor got started on the cotton exchange that the results were different from what they actually proved, and large sums of money were made and lost in consequence.

On a long table in the telegraph room the report sheets are laid out before the ranking official. He folds two sheets and hands them to the telegraph operators. When the estimate concerns an important crop, there is a long line of newspaper correspondents and others waiting for the results

ELKS PRAISE THE RELIEF FUND PLAN

Letters Pass Between State and Local Officials Regarding Postponement of Convention.

PATRIOTISM IS SHOWN

About two weeks ago the sentiment began to be expressed generally throughout the Elks lodges in Illinois that the coming state convention, which was set for Aurora, June 5, 6 and 7, should be indefinitely postponed and instead a war relief fund of some sort be raised.

As a result a meeting of the state executive committee and a special committee from Aurora lodge was held last night here and it was decided to do this.

While the subject was under discussion a number of very interesting letters passed between the state officers, local officers and prominent members of the order.

Extracts from some of these show the patriotic purpose of the order and the willingness of the members in general to do everything in their power for the country during the present war.

Walter Grant, writer, a prominent attorney of that city and the only candidate for the state presidency, wrote in part as follows to the president, Roy L. Platt, of Galesburg:

"Ever since our president and congress has declared that a state of war exists and since arrangements on a gigantic scale to bring a fighting, efficient and well equipped army into the field have been under consideration, the question of the next meeting has been uppermost in my mind, and while I feel that I am in a position to be called upon to sacrifice more perhaps than anything happens to our next association meeting, I feel that I would not be a good Elk or citizen if I did not express myself in a manner for our country's good at this time.

"At the present writing 12 of our own members from Danville 312 are in actual service, and in my judgment within 40 days at least 100 strong will have responded to our country's call.

"By June 5, the time set for the convention, there will be thousands of good Elks over the country in arms for our nation's welfare, and the fellows that are left at home, in my opinion, should be giving some practical support to the boys who are fighting our battles rather than having a good time at Aurora.

"While the nation is now preparing for an army which will eventually need 2,000,000 men, at least, that many more outside workers, to say nothing of the men to be called on for incidental government service in tilling of the soil and the munition plants, and while the men in power who have given serious thought to this subject are urging efficiency, economy, patriotism and sacrifice from every citizen in our United States, does it appeal to you as a patriotic and right thing for the Elks of Illinois to do, under these circumstances, and with these conditions confronting us, to meet in Aurora for several days of frolic?"

"If I allowed any personal ambitions of my own to keep me silent on

this subject I would feel that I lacked the true spirit of Elk teaching. It has been brought to my attention that the state of Wisconsin has postponed for the year 1917, their Elks reunion and I have no doubt that other states will follow the same course. Don't you think that this matter should be considered by the Illinois state Elks association? I feel that you as president are the one to take the initiative in this matter, if any steps should be taken, and bring it to the attention of our secretary so that arrangements might immediately be made by the officers, executive committee and local committees at Aurora for at least a full discussion of this subject."

From Congressman Copley.

John M. Peffer, secretary of the local committee of Elks, wrote Congressman L. C. Copley, a member of the Aurora lodge, and received the following reply:

"I believe we are in for a very hard war. It is perfectly certain to be a tremendous financial burden. It has been costing England more than five billions of dollars per year, and of course they can do things cheaper than we can, although in the early stages of the war it cost them more for their supplies than it will us; yet their army is so much nearer its base than ours will be that the ultimate cost of supplies will be pretty nearly the same when they get them to our troops if they go over to the trenches. I believe that here in Washington almost everyone is planning to curtail all forms of unnecessary expense. The sooner we do it, the better we are going to be off.

"It seems to me your idea of a donation in a perfectly splendid one. I had hoped that we might avoid war. We are now in it, however, and we must protect the lives of American citizens who are following a legitimate calling wherever they are. It is not now a case of what any man might have thought nor of how much our country against another, and not only that, but a cause which is absolutely fundamental to any nation, the protection of the lives of its people. Burdens will fall heavily enough upon us all, and the sooner we begin to adjust ourselves to it, the better it will go for us and the sooner will it be ended."

John M. Peffer, secretary of the local committee, writing President Roy L. Platt of Galesburg, said:

"In completing our plans for the entertainment of the state convention next June, we are confronted with an unlooked-for condition and believe we should consult our state officers to learn their views in the matter.

"We have been considering since the declaration of war just how far we should go in the line of entertainment. Of course, our plans are quite mature to give the delegates and visitors a good time, but now that our country, in which the order of Elks is especially interested and concerned, is at war, we are wondering whether some such plan as cutting out purely entertaining features and making a donation to some worthy cause connected with the war, would be better."

President Platt of Galesburg wrote Secretary Peffer of the local committee as follows:

"Already since the declaration of war and even now before the army has, you might say, begun to assemble, we have the suffering and the sorrow of war time. In our own city as a result of our one company being called to Springfield, we have 21 absolutely dependent families thrown upon the mercy of the community. These we are endeavoring to care

for thru the American Red Cross. It seems to me that as the largest state association of this, the one great American order, the plan as suggested by you is most timely. As president of this association I heartily endorse the idea and am proud of the spirit of true patriotism which prompts the suggestion.

"This is a matter however which very much concerns Aurora lodge and for this reason I would have hesitated long before making the suggestion to you. For years the convention cities have deemed it their right and their privilege each to surpass in entertainment all previous efforts. Aurora, we know, woules under order conditions exercise these same efforts and privileges and we realize it will be a great sacrifice to them not to do so. It is for this reason an added pleasure to receive the suggestion as made in your favor of April 8.

"The suggestion has been made to me that it is the duty of the officers of this association to arbitrarily postpone the annual meeting for at least one year. Many of the members of our association some of whom you and I know and love, have already been called to the service of the nation and it is openly threatened that we must be prepared for new put-backs of ill will if certain claims are not acceded to. It is also reported that on May 1 there will be another general strike for 24 hours."

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K. Wynn of Sterling, writing to President Platt, said:

"If reports are true, the trend of the times is toward eliminating social functions. A resolution to this effect was passed by the Federation of Women's Clubs which met a few weeks ago.

President Marshall's wife and Vice President Marshall's wife have made an appeal to the American women to discontinue social functions and conserve strength, money and what money will buy until such time as our country has passed the bridge of probable conflict. Believe the men be as broad. I believe that humanity's sake demands such action and I would venture an opinion would applaud an initiative step in this direction. Such action will mean more and have a wider and greater influence for what Elksdom stands for not only agree with you, but I feel that as a good citizen and good Elk that I should urge that these steps be taken."

Norwegian Minister Resigns. (By Associated Press Local Wire.) London, April 26.—A Christiania dispatch says the Norwegian minister of justice has resigned owing to the rejection of the government bill curtailing freedom of the press.

HEAD BEACON-NEWS WANT ADS

FEAR NEW GERMAN STRIKE ON MAY DAY

Berlin Newspaper Thinks Tension Success in Field Has Temporarily Halted Trouble.

Damage Done by Munition Strikers, However, Will Be Felt Throughout Empire, Belief.

(By Associated Press Local Wire.) (Continued from Page 1.)

11:10 p. m.—Today's statement from headquarters comes just early enough to influence the conscience of the munition workers," says the Berlin Lokal Anzeiger in a recent issue. "For the most part they have resumed duty again, but they will also have to repair the consequences of their dereliction from duty, and above all things, these regrettable occurrences must be prevented from taking place again today or tomorrow."

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Refer to Battle Successes. The reference in the foregoing to a German headquarters statement probably refers to that of April 24 in which the part played by the workers at home in promoting the suc-

TODAY'S BEAUTY HINT

It is not necessary to shampoo your hair so frequently if it is entirely and properly cleaned each time by the use of a really good shampoo. The easiest to use and quickest drying shampoo that we can recommend to our readers is one that brings out all the natural beauty of the hair and may be enjoyed at very little expense. This makes a full cup of shampoo liquid, enough as it is easy to apply it to all the hair instead of just the top of the head. This when rubbed into the scalp and onto every strand of hair, chemically dissolves all impurities. It is very soothing and cooling in its action, as well as beneficial to both scalp and hair. After rinsing out the latter is created by the scalp is fresh clean and free from dandruff, while the hair grows quickly and evenly, developing a bright luster and soft fluffiness that makes it seem very heavy.

cesses of the recent battles" is alluded to. The statement recounted that the German soldiers on the battle line knew that every man and woman at home is doing his or her duty and working unceasingly to support him out there in turmoil of battle for life or death, for existence or non-existence."

MONTGOMERY

Montgomery, Ill., April 25.—Eben Wiley is plowing the new cemetery land north of the school house with his tractor engine and plow.

Rocco Shoemaker has enlisted in the army. Mrs. W. P. Perkins has purchased a new automobile. John Bagrist of Woodstock visited his parents here over Sunday.

Harry Pritts has been here on a week's visit at the J. F. Meyers home. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Keck were calling on Base Line friends Sunday morning.

Miss Helen Yates of Harvard spent Thursday night and Friday with Nancy Young.

Mrs. Fred Winans spent Tuesday afternoon with friends in Benton street.

William Tews has resumed his duties at the Kastrop store after a few weeks' illness.

Mrs. Avery Van Sickle entertained the Base Line Crochet club Wednesday afternoon.

Harriet Foster has resumed her duties at the Lyon Metallic after a week's layoff thru illness.

Leander Keck is home after spending the winter in Florida, Louisiana and other southern points.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Carpenter visited Mr. and Mrs. George Keck and family.

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at Shabbona over Sunday.

Mrs. Zack Taylor has received word of the serious illness of her mother, living in the state of Oregon.

Oils Paris and family of Aurora spent Tuesday afternoon with her mother, Mrs. George Paris.

The city council has ordered the purchase of a new flag which will soon wave above the town hall.

Mrs. Lee Robinson and son, Ralph, of Aurora spent Wednesday with her mother, Mrs. George Paris.

Mr. and Mrs. Myron Perkins and children of the Base Line were calling at the E. C. Vaughn home Sunday afternoon.

Miss Helen Yates has returned to her home at Harvard after spending several weeks with her sister, Mrs. Clarence Killian, and friends.

Mrs. E. B. Wilsey and daughter, Margaret, of the Jericho road were calling on her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Keck, Monday afternoon.

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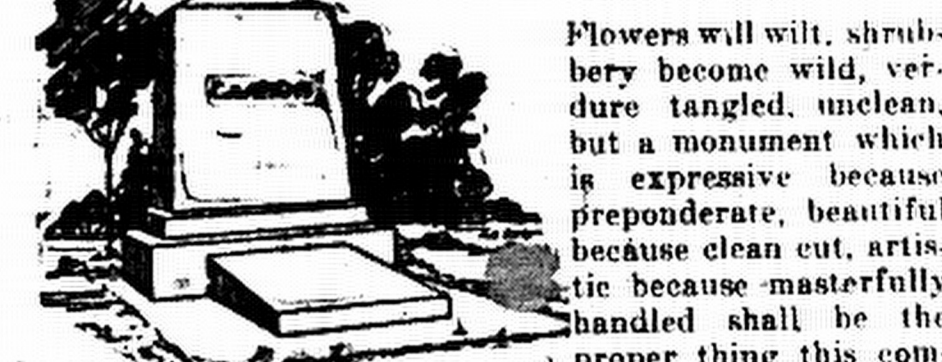
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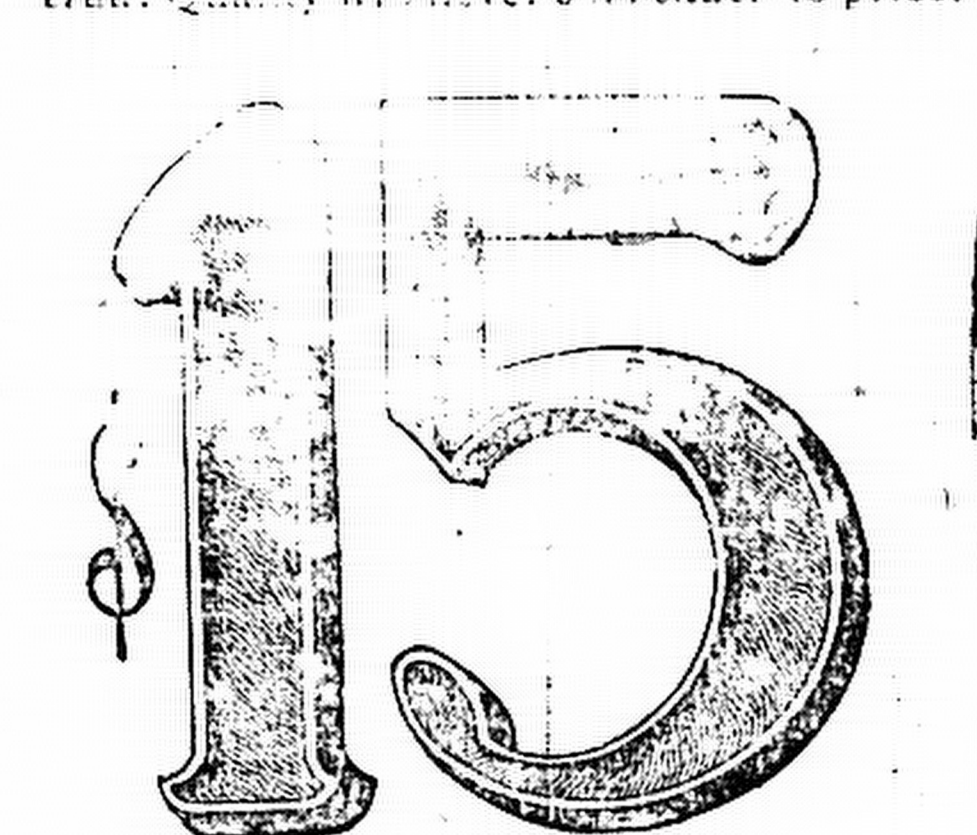
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PLAN PARADE HERE SUNDAY

Baseball Manager Hopes to
Hold Demonstration in Down
Town District Before Game.

LOCAL LINEUP IS THE SAME

The grand opening of the 1917 baseball season at the Fox River park next Sunday afternoon will be preceded by a parade thru the downtown business district. If Col. Charles Greene, commanding officer of the Third regiment, is successful in getting one of the two local companies to drill at the park the militiamen may take part in the parade. Plans for the military feature of the opening will not be definitely known until Saturday.

A band for the opening game has been hired by the local management. The players will be met at the Rogers gymnasium in the business district or ride on an open street car. The latter plan will be carried out unless the militiamen will agree to march.

WHITE HOSE LOSE TO INDIANS 4 TO 1

Chapman, Speaker and Roth
Lambast Offerings of O-
cotte Almost at Will.

Chicago, April 25.—After traveling thru the garden where pennant contenders played the White Sox began their season yesterday at Comiskey park and dropped the second game of the series to the Cleveland Indians, 4 to 1. Contributory causes in the winning of the Indians were the certain flimsy and unfeeling hits of Chapman, Speaker and Roth.

The former was guilty of a sacrifice, a single, double and triple in four times up. Roth, helped by a pair of leg-huggers, as did also Roth, the latter, in addition, getting a sacrifice in four times at the plate.

Outside of Chapman's double and triple, all of the offerings of the White Sox were assigned to Eddie Cicotte of no-hit fame. The knuckle ball artist, if all else are in order, apparently could not get a hit, and slippy ball, as it is called, off and on during the entire nine rounds of pastime. Still it did not bother Fritz Combe, who held the Sox to five hits, and coupled with the Indians' hitting, the Sox really had a chance to win.

Score:
Cleveland..... 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 1
Chicago..... 1 0 0 0 0 3 0 0 0 4

CUBS BEAT REDS AS VAUGHN STARS

Cincinnati, April 25.—The Reds hammered Jim Vaughn for enough hits to win two ordinary ball games yesterday, yet they lost to the Cubs, 4 to 2, because they could not get the breaks. In addition to making 11 bingles they stole six bases, waited for four passes and chalked up three sacrifices. The last part of their story to the Cubs was the result of a strike before Vaughn's in and out delivery.

All this artillery action netted them only one run because Vaughn was just wild enough to keep them guessing in the pinches and still good enough to curve over a third strike when things looked dark.

The Reds' biggest only seven by Schneider, their conqueror in the game of the week, but five of them were induced with a streak of wildness that permitted the Cubs to come from behind and romp home with the bacon.

Score:
Cincinnati..... 1 0 0 0 0 3 1 0 4
Cleveland..... 0 0 0 1 1 0 0 0 5

Y. M. C. A. BOWLING

The Stephens-Adams team took the odd game from the Automatic five last night in the Factory game. The Reaper Works team took three straight on a forfeit when the Cooper Brothers team failed to show up for the match. McKay of the Reapers won, high score, 708, and high average, 129.1-3.

In the 1 o'clock league the Teachers took the odd game from the Movies.

The scores:
Stephens-Adams..... 122 149 184
Ruth..... 122 118 124
Pierce..... 122 118 124
Ruddy..... 122 118 124
Ruell..... 96 118 129
Rusleaf..... 141 162 188
Totals..... 655 652 715
Three games—2053.

Automatic..... 148 122 101
Johnson..... 81 100 59
Ulm..... 121 114 114
Hollace..... 112 174 134
Hlaase..... 174 192 120
Totals..... 610 716 626
Three games—1825.

Reaper Works..... 167 154 140
Glick..... 121 111 172
Blaasing..... 167 121 129
Hampner..... 176 162 169
McKay..... 147 153 208
Totals..... 795 728 626
Three games—2258.

Teachers..... 202 150 157
Wardwell..... 150 152 154
Graham..... 128 166 127
Waldo..... 118 119 146
Meed..... 125 123 146
Totals..... 767 710 720
Movies..... 185 181 121
Berman..... 122 151 137
Rosen..... 120 143 128
Miller..... 100 124 109
Saker..... 100 127 135
Mehall..... 107 127 127

IN THE FIELD OF SPORTS

Sport Gossip (By GRANTLAND RICE)

As for Service Rendered—
To look pale in the face,
However grim and dark,
To take the game's worst break,
And hold the vital spark—
To throw soft flesh aside,
Where trouble rules the fray,
Not make one lone complaint
Along the harder way—
Can you, who've drifted long,
Be ready at the call
To swing upstream again,
Whatever may befall?
For service also means
The courage to endure,
Where those who come thru fire
Shall find the only cure.

No far Lee Darcy has been turned down in 10 states. But he's a persistent cuss, and he may get by in Mexico if he can spring the proper combination.

No Champions.
Unless some vital change develops at an early date, 1917 will present no golf or tennis champions.
This means that Chick Evans and Norris Williams will hold their positions at the heights unchallenged until peace returns, and the onslaught can be reached by the complete field.

This will be the first lapse in championship title play that golf and tennis have ever known in America, but it was the only fair way to handle the situation. A championship won this summer, with so many stars missing, would not reflect any lasting credit upon the winner. It would be regarded more as a victory by default.

After the War—
There will be no championship golf in this country until after the war. But the first championship which England holds will more than likely find the greatest American entry list on record.

To know more of any number of American players who are planning to go over for the next British championship—when ever that may be. For while Great Britain has lost many of her golfing stars, she still has a formidable array left, one capable of putting up a strong defensive fight.

Ball Players Who May Go.
Young ball players have become accustomed to facing the draft. Many of them are drafted by higher minor leagues and then drafted by the majors. But when the universal service bill has gone thru many of these will face a new variety of draft.

All unmarried ball players in all leagues between the ages of 20 and 30 will be in line to serve, and as practically all these can pass any physical examination many may be taken before the season is over. And the war department or the government isn't very likely to pause and figure what effect upon the pennant race any such move would have.

An umpire, enlisting, would receive no great credit for bravery. He would more than probably be accused of seeking a softer, less dangerous job.

But Not Always.
"The apparel," says Colonel Shakespear, "oft proclaims the man." Off—be not always.

A certain well dressed golfer in one of the southern cities went to Augusta, Ga. for a few days. Before leaving he purchased a new, glittering golf outfit well beyond the ordinary. His clothes were 2 up on par.

At the end of the ninth hole a dusky young caddy approached the golfer's equally dusky caddy bearer.

"Yo man," said the former, "ain't no dream like a golfer."

"But he-sha! Gawd don't play like one, was the caddy's rejoinder, who had witnessed the first nine holes.

LEGORE TO ENLIST

St. Louis, Mo., April 25.—Coach Legore of the Yale ball team counts his participation more than \$10,000. The former Eli variety star turned down an offer of that amount from the St. Louis Americans today. Legore has offered his services to the United States. He was prominent in making the Yale battalion the popular institution it turned out to be at the New Haven university.

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American League.
Club..... Won Lost Pct.
Chicago..... 2 4 33.3
Boston..... 4 4 50.0
New York..... 4 4 50.0
Cleveland..... 4 4 50.0
St. Louis..... 4 4 50.0
Philadelphia..... 4 4 50.0
Washington..... 4 4 50.0
Detroit..... 2 8 25.0

National League.
Club..... Won Lost Pct.
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RECORD ENTRY LIST FOR PENNSYLVANIA RACES

The Associated Press Leased Wire.
Philadelphia, Pa., April 25.—Despite the withdrawal of several of the larger colleges because of the war, the entry list for the annual relay carnival of the University of Pennsylvania, to be held tomorrow Saturday, is the largest in the history of the meet. More than 100 college teams, 250 school teams and scores of individuals are entered in the different events.

The first day's program of the carnival contains 27 events, 20 of which are for scholastic. In addition, the American college championship sprint relay race, 100 yards hurdle, pentathlon, American college championship distance medley relay and special field events for college boys will be held. Entries in the sprint medley race include Chicago, Pennsylvania, Pennsylvania State, Lafayette, Wisconsin, Illinois, Princeton, Missouri, Northwestern and Pittsburgh. Those in the distance medley are Syracuse, Pennsylvania, Princeton, Wisconsin, Chicago, Pennsylvania State, Lafayette and Illinois.

RESULTS YESTERDAY

American League.
Cleveland 4, Chicago 3.
Philadelphia 1, New York 2.
Boston 2, Washington 0.
St. Louis at Detroit, rain.

National League.
Chicago 4, Cincinnati 2.
New York 3, Philadelphia 6.
Pittsburgh 10, St. Louis 8.
Brooklyn 6, Boston 4.

Games Today.
American League.
Cleveland at Chicago.
St. Louis at Detroit.
Washington at Boston.
Philadelphia at New York.

National League.
Chicago at Cincinnati.
New York at Philadelphia.
Boston at Brooklyn.

(By Associated Press Leased Wire.)
Philadelphia, April 25.—New York Philadelphia game postponed, rain.
Brooklyn, April 25.—Brooklyn Boston game postponed, rain.

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AUGUSTANA MEN ENLIST

(By Associated Press Leased Wire.)
Rock Island, Ill., April 25.—Augustana college today cancelled its track schedule because of the loss of several of the most valuable members of the team, who have enlisted in the army.

Paul O. Johnson, captain of the track team, is a member of the college band, which joined the Ninth regiment of the Illinois national guard in a band. The band is now at Springfield.

RETURN BANNER

(By Associated Press Leased Wire.)
Chicago, April 25.—The athletic board of Notre Dame university has returned the banner won by the Notre Dame team in the mile relay at Drake university, Des Moines, Iowa, Saturday. They refused to accept the banner, it is said, due to the fact that McDonough, one of the winning team, was under a faculty ban at the time.

OAK PARKS WANT GAME

With no game for next Sunday, April 23, it is requested to communicate with nearest Tiffany, manager Oak Park, 710 Overborn avenue, Aurora, Chicago phone 292-J for a game.

TIGERS OPEN THE 1917 SEASON AT YORKVILLE

The Tigers will open the 1917 season at Yorkville Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Underhill, former Hi-State star, will be on the rubber for the Kendall county team, while either Lipke or Reese, for 1916 Tigers, will oppose him. The team will leave on the 11 o'clock car.

The Tigers will hold a meeting tonight in their club rooms at North and East avenues. All players are requested to attend. The meeting will be called at 8 o'clock in the evening.

RIVALS PLAY ALL STARS ON HURD'S ISLAND SUNDAY

The Rivals play the All Stars Sunday afternoon at Hurd's island at 2:30 o'clock. It promises to be an interesting game. A big crowd is expected. Nick Watson will be on the mound for the Rivals while Bill Ansell will do the backstopping.

The Rivals are looking for games from Kaneville, Wheatland, Feds, Windsor, Plainfield and Warrenville. For games write William Ansell, 458 Superior street, or call 4257-J, Chicago phone, after 5 o'clock in the evening.

KEYSTONES WIN THREE FROM CORDIGAN'S FIVE

The Keystone took three straight games from John Cordigan's 5100 team on the Ryndall alloy last night, landing the first game by one pin and the last one by 15. Levi and Marcellotti, rival pilots, were tied for high score at 205, while Schipple had high average, 184.

The scores:
Keystones..... 158 206 171
Schipple..... 184 182 181
Shay..... 160 174 155
Pulley..... 156 149 156
Boehner..... 170 188 144
Totals..... 623 699 610
2100.

Marcellotti..... 177 206 171
Folger..... 160 187 166
Dean..... 146 161 154
Harris..... 141 188 185
Cordigan..... 161 144 148
Totals..... 632 646 720

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Luke McGlook, the Brainy BEAN Boy

By Carl Ed

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of three men giving the names of "Edward, and George Moore" and "Bert Ward" arrested last night on a charge of playing poker in a room in the Burton block, has been indefinitely continued. It is understood that the charge may be dropped. The three men say they were in their own room playing a friendly game and deny that they won a large amount of money from the man who complained to the police that he had lost money playing with them. "We were playing a friendly game of 'nickie anty' and were in our own room," Ward told Magistrate Dawson.

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There will be no meeting of Central W. C. T. U. this week owing to the county institute. Aurora chapter, No. 22, W. M. will meet Friday evening at 8 o'clock in Moose hall. The Friendly club will meet Friday between with Miss Frances Wade. South Lincoln avenue, at 8:15 o'clock.

Saturday

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At the Theaters

FOX — Tonight—Mary MacLaren in Lois Weber's thrilling play, "The Mysterious Mrs. M."

STRAND — Tonight—"Broadway Jones," with George M. Cohan.

STAR — Tonight—Marie Walcamp in the two act drama, "The Kidnapped Bride."

ORPHEUM — Tonight—"The Hidden Children," a drama of the revolutionary war.

PALM — Tonight—"As Men Love," featuring House Peters.

Movie Notes

Jack Tempest was a daylight spyder. When the daylight spawners were rising from their couch, Jack was finishing his night's carouse and going, heavy-eyed, to his sumptuous mansion to spend daylight in sleep. In the end Jack was awakened. Very properly he was awakened by a booming alarm clock which came as the important item in a new heritage that came from a millionaire uncle who had died and "remembered Jack Tempest" in his will. There is little to imply here the full importance of Jack's shift in his method of living, but there is a gripping and most entertaining photoplay, "The Clock," carrying this incentive for whole some and purposeful amusement. "The Clock" is the title and it's a Bluebird. Franklin Parnum will play the role of the reformed roofer. Agnes Vernon will be the girl who loved him so much that she forced him without his knowledge to reform.

The great army of night workers in New York with special reference to those engaged in newspaper work has been made the subject matter of a moving picture under the title "The Night Workers." The "Night Workers" was made by Kalem and will be released by Kalem-Edison-Selig Esannay pictures May 21. The picture, as the title implies, portrays the lives of persons working at night. The plot is laid in a New York morning newspaper office, and unfolds many of the interesting details in the making of a great newspaper. The story, however, also deals with all sorts of night workers in the big city. It was written by J. Bradley Smollen, for many years a newspaper worker in New York and Chicago. The picture was directed by Charles Hayden. Marguerite Clayton, imported by Jack Gardner, is starred in "The Night Workers."

Riding in a special train seems to be Bryant Washburn's specialty. Mr. Washburn had one of the "North Western" railroads filers as his special train during the filming of "Skinner's Dress Suit." Likewise, during the filming of its sequel, "Skinner's Bubble," soon to be released, a similar special was compounded by Mr. Washburn. He was the conductor, engineer, flagman, and even the hobo on the "blind baggage."

Mary Charleson is supporting Henry B. Walthall in his forthright feature, "The Saint's Adventure," to be released May 1.

Sydney Ainsworth, appearing in "The Trufflers" has gone in for woman suffrage. He's not married.

Patrick Cathoun is vexed. A very dear friend saw him in "Little Shoes" and failed to recognize him. Mr. Cathoun is noted for his excellence in make-up.

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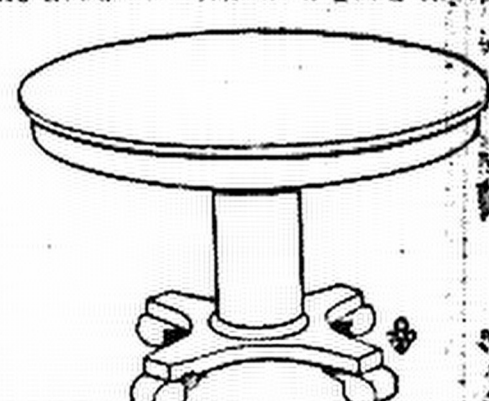
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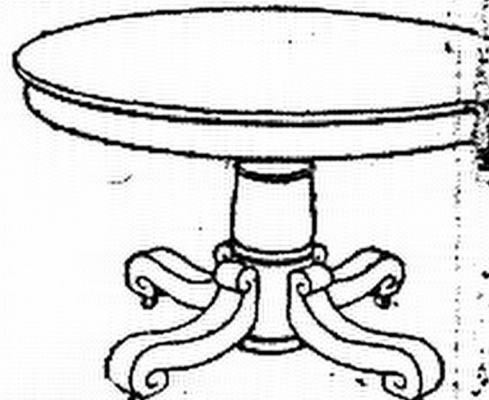
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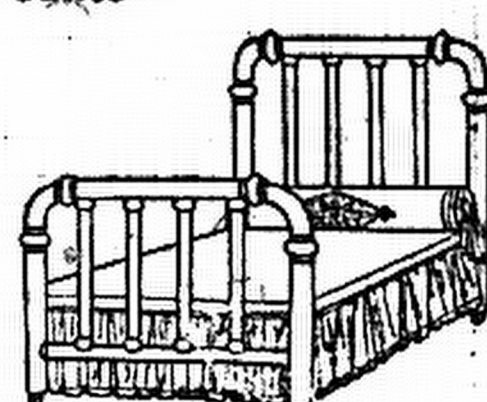


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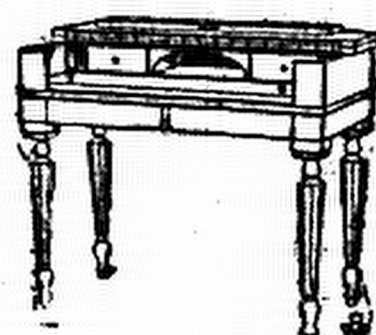
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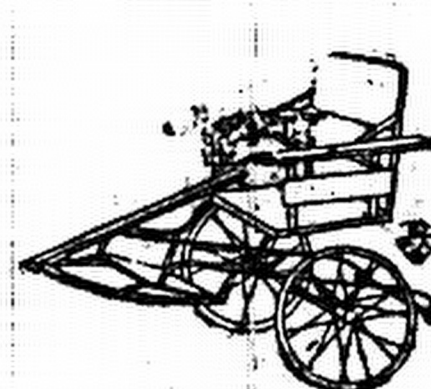
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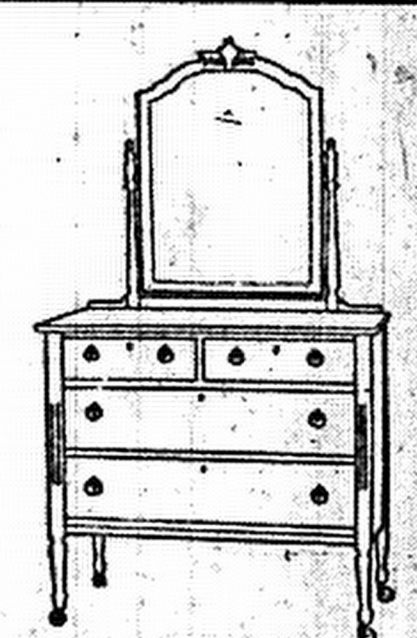
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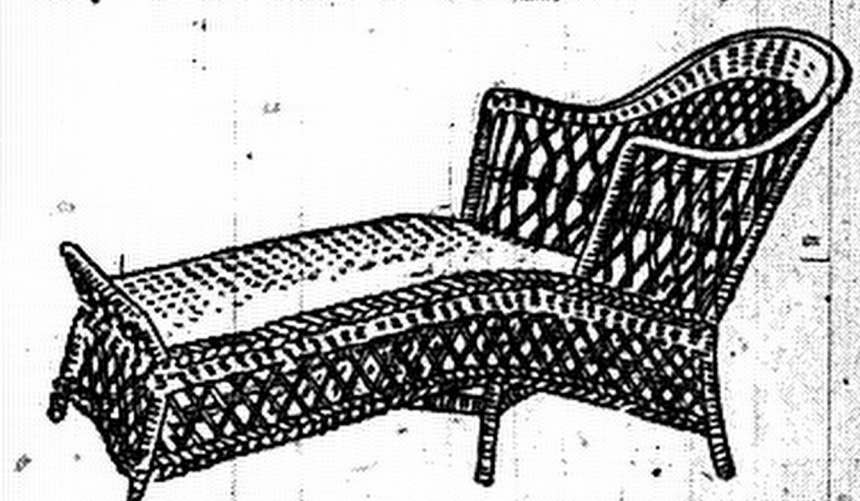
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